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## $15,000 TRADE SWEPT AWAY BY ARBITRARY

President Blankenmeister of Manufacturing Co. Says Bridge Rates Killed Business With Customers in Northern Illinois.

WILL TESTIFY BEFORE TERMINAL COMMISSION

Cites One Instance of Trader's Complain of 25-Cent Charge on 125-Pound Barrel of Glassware, While 1000 Pounds Could Be Sent Cheaper.

F. H. Blankenmeister, president of the Blankenmeister Manufacturing Co., told a Post-Dispatch reporter Friday morning that he would ask the Municipal Terminal Commission, appointed to investigate St. Louis terminal conditions, to grant him a hearing relative to the bridge arbitrary which he says has swept away his entire trade in Northern Illinois, the loss in this section alone amounting to more than $15,000 a year.

But the direct cause of Mr. Blankenmeister's complaint is the following letter which he received from a customer Friday morning:

OWANECO, Ill., May 18, 1905.
F. H. Blankenmeister & Son, St. Louis, Mo.
Please advise me why I have to pay 25 cents freight on the barrel of glassware sent from your house to East St. Louis. Does it cost as much to get a barrel across the river as it does from East St. Louis to Owaneco. Respectfully,
L. F. DANFORD.

Discussing the foregoing communication, Mr. Blankenmeister said:

"Owaneco is 60 miles east of St. Louis on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad. Now, the distance across the river is less than two miles. The barrel of glass about which my customer complains was shipped from East St. Louis to Owaneco for 30 cents. But the Terminal charge for the short distance across the river is 25 cents, or almost the equivalent of the long haul to Owaneco.

### Alleges Discrimination.

"If I had shipped a barrel weighing as much as 500 pounds, the bridge arbitrary would have been the same. But anything over 500 pounds and the Terminal would impose a charge of only 2 cents per hundred pounds.

"In other words I could ship 600 or 700 or even 1000 pounds of glassware across the river for a charge less than that imposed for the 125-pound package. If that is not discrimination in favor of the large and against the small shipper I don't know what you call it.

"But I would not be a small shipper to Illinois points today if it were not for this bridge arbitrary. The merchant who sends me the above complaint withdrew practically all of his custom from me a year ago. He explained that he was able to get his goods cheaper from Chicago.

"Three years ago one of my traveling salesman did a busines of $14,000 a year in Northern Illinois. The following year his sales went down to $11,000 and lately our trade there amounts to practically nothing.

"Chicago, Indianapolis and other cities have been 'knocking' St. Louis right along on account of the bridge arbitrary. The result has been a tremendous loss of trade to St. Louis merchants within the last few years.

"I have no feeling against the railroad companies nor the Terminal Association. They are, like ourselves, doing all they can to make money.

"But when I read in the Post-Dispatch Tuesday night the interview with Mr. Elias Michael, chairman of the Terminal commission, to the effect that the evidence of St. Louis shippers would be gathered, I thought I was qualified to serve as a witness on existing conditions."

## CAN'T GET AWAY FROM SHOWERS

Forecaster Says Rain Clouds Are Still Hovering Near, but With Moderate Temperature.

And still there's rain in the weather outlook, although the menace is not so serious as it has been of late. The general prospect is brighter and there's hope for more sunshine in the near future. The official forecast:

"Partly cloudy tonight. Saturday, increasing cloudiness and probable showers. Continued moderate temperature. Easterly to northeasterly winds."

Light rains are reported from the lake region, the Upper Ohio and St. Lawrence valleys and the North Atlantic and New England States. From the Dakotas to the Southeastern States moderately high pressures prevail. From Wyoming to the Texas Panhandle and also over Oklahoma, Arkansas and Southwestern Kansas light rains have fallen. The pressure is high over the North Pacific coast and the extreme northwest.

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## *St. Louis Newspapers Bid for City Printing*

Affidavits Filed With the City Register Show the Great Excess of the Post-Dispatch Circulation Over That of Other Papers.

**BIDS AND CIRCULATION AFFIDAVITS MADE BY THE SEVERAL NEWSPAPERS**

| Newspaper. | Bid per line. | Circulation. |
|---|---|---|
| Post-Dispatch | 15 c | 148,833 daily; 225,837 Sunday average for entire year 1904). |
| Globe-Democrat | 15 c | "Greatly exceeds" 3000 daily. Average daily and Sunday April, 1905), 126,837. |
| Chronicle | 3¾c | 53,887 average per day for one year. |
| Westliche Post | 8 c | Exceeds 3000. |
| Amerika | 10 c | Exceeds 3000. |
| Anzeiger | 5¾c | Exceeds 3000. |
| A. H. Spink | 2 c | Exceeds 3000. |
| Daily Record | 1.69c | Exceeds 3000. |

Bids were opened at the office of City Register Regan Friday at noon for doing the city printing.

The bids of the St. Louis Daily Record and of a publication issued by Al Spink were so close that the Register took them under advisement to determine which would be the most advantageous to the city.

The Spink bid was 2 cents a line for printing proceedings and advertisements and $1 a page for printing the proceedings in pamphlet form. The bid of the Daily Record was 1.69 cents per line and $1.69 per page.

The Register will determine from the relative amounts paid last year for the different kinds of printing which bid is the best.

The bid of the Post-Dispatch was 15 cents a line for legal advertisements and $1 a page for proceedings in pamphlet form. The bid was accompanied by this affidavit by W. C. Steigers, the business manager:

**AFFIDAVIT OF CIRCULATION ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH.**

**State of Missouri.**
**City of St. Louis, ss.**

**Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for the City of St. Louis, Mo., W. C. Steigers, Business Manager of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, who deposes and says that the regular editions of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch for the entire year 1904, after deducting all copies returned by newsboys and copies left over, spoiled in printing and unaccounted for, averaged Daily 148,833, Sunday225,837; and further that the sales of the Post-Dispatch in the City of St. Louis exceed by many thousands the number of homes in St. Louis.**

**W. C. STEIGERS,**
**Business Manager.**

**Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of May, 1905.**
**My term expires April 18, 1905.**
**ADOLPH E. SCHMID,**
**Notary Public.**

The Chronicle bid 3¾ cents a line and $1 a page and certified to an average daily circulation of 53,887 for the year ending April 30, 1905.

The Globe-Democrat bid 15 cents a line and $1 a page and certified to an average circulation exceeding 3,000 and to an average daily and Sunday of 126,837.

For printing proceedings and advertisements in German the Westliche Post bid 8 cents, the Amerika 10 cents and the Anzeiger des Westens 5¾ cents.

## CHICAGO STRIKE OVER IN A FEW HOURS

Sheriff and Mayor Authority for Statement That the Trouble Will End Without Claim of Victory or Defeat on Either Side—Shea Is Belligerent Despite Peace Talk.

CHICAGO, May 19.—"The Chicago teamsters' strike will end tonight or tomorrow morning," said Sheriff Thomas Barrett today.

"There will be no claim of victory or defeat on either side," he continued. "Neither will there be any formal calling off of the conict. The men wil lsimply go back to work and the employers wilfil re-engage those who are worthy and have not broken the law."

Mayor Dunne confirmed the Sheriff's statement. He has positive information that the strike wil lend within 24 hours—within 48 at the outside.

He agreed with Mr. Barrett that there will be no formal announcement of the end of the fight. It wil lbe allowed to quietly drop.

President Shea of the Teamsters' Union denies that the Mayor and Sheriff have sufficient grounds for their confidence. "No man in the world," he said, "has the right to call this strike off. The Teamsters' joint council alone has this power."

Sheriff Barrett showed conclusively, however, that he has faith in his assertions, by commencing to call in the txar deputies who have been guarding the wagons of the Employers' Teaming Co., and by discontinuing the appointment of more deputies.

Simultaneously with the declarations by the sheriff and mayor came a report, credited to a member of the Employers' Association, that there is reason to believe that the strike will be officially declared off if assurance is given to the labor leaders that there will be no prosecutions under the Federal injunctions against interference with non-union wagons.

Dell Stevens of the department store drivers admitted that a meeting tonight between members of his union and some of the employers will bring the peace movement to a focus.

"When President Gompers left Chicago," continued Mr. Stevens, "it is understood that he assured Sheriff Barrett that, while there would be no formal capitulation on either side, the strikers and their employers would quietly merge interests and restore peace."

The teamsters' joint council will hold a meeting tonight at which, it is generally believed, action will be taken along the lines referred to by Mayor Dunne and Sheriff Barrett.

The cab drivers have already decided to deliver passengers in future wherever they wish to go, no matter whether the boycott may be thus interfered with or not.

HOW THE

20 Leading St. Louis Merchants

PLACED THEIR ADVERTISING

IN APRIL 1905

Post-Dispatch, 258,694 Agate Lines

Globe-Democrat, 119,490 Agate Lines
Republic, - - 94,890 Agate Lines
Star, - - - - 74,640 Agate Lines
Chronicle, - - 29,380 Agate Lines

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## DECLARES SULLIVAN DREW PISTOL FIRST

Counsel for Kelleher Tells Jury Pugilist, After Shooting, Said, "He Beat Me to It."

VICTIM ARMED FOR WEEKS?

Jury Sent From Room While Lawyers Argue on Admitting Testimony on Point.

The defense opened its case Friday in the trial of Eddie Kelleher, charged with the murder of "St. Louis Tommy" Sullivan, the prizefighter, Jan 29, and Judge Harvey made the opening speech to the jury.

The defense would prove, he asserted, that there was an old grudge between Sullivan and Kelleher, that Sullivan was looking for Kelleher and carried a revolver with which to kill him or inflict great bodily harm upon him, that he had made public threats to this effect, and that he went to Mike Walsh's saloon, where the shooting took place, for the purpose of meeting Kelleher.

It woud be shown by competent testimony, Judge Harvey continued, when Sullivan entered Walsh's saloon Kelleher asked him:

"Are you looking for trouble?" and that Sullivan answered:

"Yes, —— you, and right here," and that Sullivan then drew his revolver, which dropped to the floor, whereupon Kelleher drew his own pistol and opened fire on Sullivan, firing two shots.

The defense expected to prove further, Judge Harvey said, that later on, when Sullivan was asked about the shooting, the latter said: "He got to me first," thus indicating that the encounter had been expected by Sullivan.

Al. Hamilton was the first witness for the defense. He testified that he lived at 1011 North Twenty-third street, that he was a cigar salesman and had formerly been a saloonkeeper, and that he had known Sullivan intimately for five years. He saw Sullivan in company with John Howard about an hour before the shooting took place. They had come into Daneri's saloon, at Twenty-second and Chestnut street.

After they had been in the saloon together for some little time witness had said that he was going home and to bed, and Sullivan replied: "I'm going north," and had then gone out. That was the last witness saw of Sullivan until after the shooting in Walsh's saloon on Pine street. Witness was still in Daneri's saloon when he heard that Sullivan had been shot and was in Bumberry's saloon.

Witness had then gone to Bumberry's place, in company with several police officers, and there saw Sullivan. He asked Sullivan what was the matter, and the latter replied: "He beat me to it." In answer to witness' question as to who shot him, Sullivan said: "I don't know the man."

An ambulance which had been called arrived then and Sullivan was placed in it to be sent to the City Hospital. As he was being carried out of the saloon Sullivan said to witness: "Good-by, if I don't see you any more."

### Found Pistol on Music Box.

Witness had then gone to Walsh's saloon, where the shooting had taken place. Sergt. Hoffman and several policemen arrived there about 5 a. m., and began searching the premises. Finally Sergt. Hoffman had said to the other policeman: "You fellows must all be blind," and as he spoke he took a revolver from the top of a music box in the saloon.

On cross examination witness testified that he had taken charge of the saloon upon his arrival, as the bartender was not there, that there was no weapon on the floor of the saloon, that he saw no weapon on the music box, that he did not know to whom the pistol found by Sergt. Hoffman belonged, and that he had never seen it before.

William Bumberry, who had previously been placed on the stand by the State, was called by the defense. When Judge Harvey asked him if Sullivan had not carried a revolver two weeks before the shooting in Mike Walsh's saloon, Circuit Attorney Sager objected to the question, and a spirited argument followed, during which the jury was sent from the room, while the lawyers contended as to the points raised by this question.

Judge Foster sustained the objection to the question as to whether Sullivan carried a pistol two weeks prior to the night of the shooting and the witness was then excused.

Another lengthy argument then followed, when Dudley Brown of 4119 Cleveland avenue was placed on the stand. He testified that he was a bartender and knew Sullivan. He was asked if he had herd Sullivan make any threats against Kelleher, but Circuit Attorney Sager objected to the question, arguing that the testimony was not relevant unless it was proved that the threats had been communicated to Kelleher and that Sullivan was the agressor in the quarrel in the saloon where he met his death, and the poitn is now under advisement.

Police Sergt. Hoffman and Policeman Cantrillion testified to the finding of the revolver on the music box in the saloon where Sullivan was killed. Each said the pistol was a 38-caliber weapon. The revolver was produced at the conclusion of their testimony and proved to be a 41-caliber weapon.

## OLD SOLDIER KILLS HIMSELF

Distinguished Kentuckian Whose Wife Recently Committed Suicide, Blows Out Brains.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 19.—Capt. Van B. Tyler, a distinguished Confederate soldier, whose wife committed suicide three weeks ago, because he would not stop drinking, today wound up a three-weeks' spree at his home in Springfield by blowing out his brains.

## THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

St. Louis and vicinity—Partly cloudy Friday night; Saturday, increasing cloudiness and probable showers; continued moderate temperature; easterly to northeasterly winds.

Missouri—Partly cloudy Friday night and Saturday, with showers in south and west portions; north to east winds.

Iowa—Fair Friday night and Sat[illegible] variable winds.

*Former Manager of Buckingham Club, Who Denies Accusation of Shortage in Accounts*

N. ELLSWORTH SAGE.

## FRIENDS WELCOME SAGE ON HIS RETURN

Former Manager of Buckingham Club, Accused of Embezzlement, Arrives.

IN DESMOND'S OFFICE

Says Implication Is Mistake, and There May Be Trouble for Other Side.

N. Ellsworth Sage, former manager of the Buckingham Club, was given a cordial welcome by friends when he was brought back to St. Louis Friday morning from St. Joseph under an information charging him with embezzling funds of the clubs.

He was released on $1000 bond, accepted by Judge Withrow in chambers, soon after his arrival. Joseph Schuler is his bondsman.

Sage's train arrived at 7:20 o'clock, and at the station to meet him were Henry C. Townsend, general passenger and ticket agent of the Missouri Pacific Railroad; George H. Robinson of the National Plumbing Supply Co. and A. M. Bell, general passenger agent of the Mobile & Ohio Railroad.

Mr. Sage did not in the least have the appearance of a prisoner. Detective August Dooley, who accompanied him from St. Joseph, seemed to be a traveling companion only.

Mr. Sage, nattily dressed in a blue serge suit, with black derby and patent leather shoes, was met in the train shed by his friends, and they went with him to the Four Courts. He was not taken into the police station in the basement, where the names of prisoners are entered on the "blotter," but into Chief of Detectives Desmond's private office. There he was met by Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Dalton, who has been his friend since Mr. Sage came to St. Louis, and cordially greeted.

Mr. Townsend, as soon as the party reached Chief Desmond's office, began to telephone for an attorney and a bondsman, both of whom he asked to be at the Four Courts by the time Judge Moore arrived.

A few minutes afterward Chief Kiely arrived at his office. Mr. Townsend went in to see him, and after a few minutes' whispered conversation the Chief hurried into Desmond's room. As he saw Mr. Sage he cried out cordially:

"Hello, there, Sage!" and shook hands with him.

Then he greeted others in the room, and again turned to Mr. Sage and shook hands with him even more warmly than at first.

Mr. Sage talked affably. He does not seem in the least disturbed by his arrest.

"I have no statement to make now," he said, "further than that there is nothing to the charges so far as I am concerned. My implication is all a mistake. It will be corrected in a very short while, and after that—after the charges against me are all straightened out—there will probably be something big in the way of trouble for the other side."

Mr. Sage was arrested in St. Joseph Tuesday evening. The charge is that he embezzled $1125 from the Buckingham Club. He admits that there is a discrepancy, but says he is not in any way to blame for it. He came to St. Louis from Omaha, Neb., May 1, 1904, under contract for a year; he resigned April 1. He and his wife were visiting friends in St. Joseph when he was arrested. Mrs. Sage did not come to St. Louis with him.

## BABY'S DEAD BODY IN SEWER

Boy Searching for Ball Finds Infant With Head Cut.

Crawling into a sewer at the southeast corner of Grand and Sullivan avenues at noon Friday to find a lost ball, Willie Bodine, a boy living at 2539 North Grand avenue, found a package of papers and rags. He brought it to the surface and opening it revealed the body of a baby, apparently about 2 weeks old. There was a gash in the baby's head. The body will be taken to the Morgue.

## GUARD TAKES DRINK WITH PRISONER

Workhouse Attache Suspended for Visiting Saloon With Man in His Charge.

WOMAN MAKES COMPLAINT

She Testifies in Police Court That They Forced Entrance to Her House.

John Crinnion, a Workhouse guard; his prisoner, "Kid" Wilson, and Martin Gillon, also known as "Gaspipe" Gillon, a friend of Wilson, were participants, according to testimony given in the Dayton Street Police Court Thursday, in a sensational escapade at the home of Mrs. Kate Meyers of 1237 North Broadway.

Gillon was fined $100 and costs. Crinnion has been suspended as a guard, though Supt. Scully says the suspension was not because of Mrs. Meyers' story, but because Crinnion took his prisoner into a saloon and drank with him there.

Crinnion, with Wilson in charge, and Gillon, the afternoon of May 9, visited certain saloons in the neighborhood of O'Fallon street and Broadway. Mrs. Meyers testified that they went to her home about 3:30 and forced their way in despite her protests. She said they were boisterous, and caught her roughly by the arm.

She testified that she called a policeman, who started to arrest the men. But the guard, whose name she did not know, showed his star and the policeman left the house. Finally Policeman Weinman interfered and arrested Gillon.

The name of the workhouse guard was not brought out in the trial in the Dayton Street Court, Mrs. Meyers saying she did not know it, and the policeman making the same statement.

They gave a description of him, however, and Supt. Scully said Crinnion was the man. He said he was informed of the occurrence the same afternoon and made an investigation.

He did not place much credence in the charges, as Crinnion had been a guard for more than two years. But he found that Crinnion had taken his prisoner to saloons and had drinks with him. For this infraction of the rules, Crinnion was suspended that night.

Supt. Scully said he had not been convinced of Crinnion's participation in the molestation of Mrs. Meyers, but that his suspension would probably be made permanent because of the saloon visits.

## FIVE POKER PLAYERS FINED

$25 Each for Men Who Fail to Convince Court They Were Playing Hearts.

The question was whether the game was poker or hearts. The policemen who made thearrests said it was poker and the players said it was hearts. Judge Pollard decided that it was poker and fined the players $25 each.

The players were Sam Obinsky, A. Handle, Isaac Lazaries, Meyer Clayfield and Isaac Endler. They were playing some kind of a game with cards in M. Solomon's store at 615 Biddle street with Policemen McKenna, Weimman and Laucks of the Fourth District as unseen spectators, looking through the glass panel of a door.

There were five other men in the room and all ten, as well as the proprietor, were arrested. After the five had failed to convince Judge Pollard in the Dayton Street Court that they were playing hearts he fined them, but discharged the other five who were only looking on.

Solomon will have to answer in the Court of Criminal Correction to the charge of permitting gambling.

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## POLICE THINK RICH ST. LOUISAN WAS MURDERED

John B. Guinn, Young Mine Owner, Found Dead in Joplin Office With Bullet Wound in Head.

PHYSICIANS SCOUT THEORY OF SUICIDE

Story of Quarrel Before Death—Lived at Washington Hotel and Was Known as Equestrian and Automobilist.

News telegrams to the Post-Dispatch say that John B. Guinn, a wealthy young mine owner of St. Louis and Joplin, Mo., who was thought to have committed suicide at Joplin at 6 p. m. Thursday, is now believed by the police there to have been murdered.

He was found dead in his office with a bullet hole through his head. The ball had passed through his brain from the left to the right temple and buried itself in a roller-top desk.

No one has testified to hearing the fatal shot, and the case is yet shrouded in mystery.

The young man's body was found lying full length on the floor at his office by one of his business associates.

An inquest will be held Friday afternoon.

From the fact there were no powder burns visible around the wound at the temple and the peculiar range of the bullet, several physicians repudiate the suicide theory.

The report of a quarrel between Guinn and another prominent Joplin man Thursday afternoon is told.

### Father a Millionaire.

Guinn was a prominent member of the Joplin lodge of Elks and was 30 years old. His father, John C. Guinn, resides at Georgia City, 15 miles north of Joplin. He is a millionaire mine owner, owning some of the most valuable mines in the Joplin district and his son managed them.

He was a Smith Academy alumnus and had taken a course in Columbia University. He had lived in St. Louis the past two years. Since Dec. 29 he has had rooms at the Washington Hotel. Before that he stayed most of the time at the Planters'.

He left here the early part of last week for Joplin, saying he would be back in a few days. His apartments at the Washington are as he left them, and there is a large accumulation of mail there for him.

### His Income Large.

He was quiet and reserved, and made no ostentatious display of his wealth. His associates were mostly business men. It was his habit to go riding every morning on a splendid chestnut sorrel horse, of which he was very proud. Just a month before his death he purchased an expensive automobile, and after that went out every afternoon in the car.

He had traveled a great deal. He was abroad last year and spent part of the early winter in Florida.

His income is said to have been derived largely from leased mining lands. One piece of property is said to have brought him in $500 a week.

Wallace C. Capen was one of his associates. He was wont to drop in at Mr. Capen's office at 4743 McPherson avenue almost every evening.

John S. Carter, real estate officer of the Commonwealth Trust Co., had known Guinn ever since they went to Smith Academy together. They had been much together in St. Louis and he had visited Guinn in Joplin.

## BLAIR INSURANCE SUITS DISMISSED

Motions of Mutual Life and of Widow to Drop Proceedings Sustained.

IS SETTLEMENT EFFECTED?

Company Sought Cancellation of $200,000 Policy on Lawyer's Life, Alleging Fraud.

The suit of the Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York against Mrs. Apolline M. Blair, widow of the late James L. Blair, and the other heirs of Blair, to cancel insurance policies on his life aggregating $200,000, which the Mutual company alleged were obtained by fradulent representations, has been dismissed.

At the same time is dismissed also the suit of Mrs. Blair against the Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York to recover $10,000, the first annual payment on the $200,000 insurance policies involved in the former case.

The announcement came to the Federal Court in St. Louis Friday in the form of papers from Judge John F. Pollock of the United States District Court of Kansas, now in Topeka, containing his decision sustaining motions for the dismissal of these suits.

It had not been known in St. Louis prior to this announcement that such motions had been filed, and this disposition of the suits indicates that a settlement between Mrs. Blair and the Mutual Life Insurance Co. has been reached out of court.

The insurance company was represented in the litigation now ended by McKeighan and Watts, and Henry T. Kent and John F. Lee were Mrs. Blair's lawyers.

# SEAT OF WAR IN FAR EAST SHIFTS TO VLADIVOSTOK

Foreign Consuls and Civilians Ordered to Leave the Russian Fortress, Which Is Evidently Preparing to Withstand a Siege.

## ROJESTVENSKY THOUGHT TO CONTEMPLATE A DASH

Belief Now Is That Naval Commander Will Seeek to Reach the Harbor—Authorities Desire to Stop Leakage of Information.

By Wire from the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The Russian authorities have directed all consuls to quit Vladivostok. This convinces officers of the State Department that the fortress will be the next important scene in the far eastern war.

America's consular agent, Richard T. Greener, the only colored man in the consular service, understood the notice to mean immediate departure. He cabled the department that he had moved his office to Habarowsk.

Vladivostok is a fortress and civilians are premitted to remain there only so long as they are not in the way of the military.

The ordering out of the consular representatives is construed here as meaning that Rojestvensky's fleet is to make a run for that harbor. In order that there may be no leak of their plans the foreigners and civilians have been ordered out before anything is done. This view is strengthened by the reports that Rojestvensky has finally sailed away from the coast of Annam.

## PHILADELPHIA EXECUTIVE WHO WILL VETO GAS BILL.

MAYOR JOHN WEAVER.

## JAPANESE DECLARED A MENACE TO INDO-CHINA.

PARIS, May 19.—M. Francois Deloncle, deputy for Indo-China, has submitted to the Special Parliamentary Committee on Naval Affairs a remarkable report on the urgent necessity for strengthening the defenses of Indo-China against the peril of a Japanese invasion.

"Indo-China," he says, "has only two enemies to fear, namely, Japan alone or China encouraged and supported by Japan. The former constitutes a real danger, for she could in a few weeks throw 100,000 men into Indo-China and easily reinforce this first landing party.

"The first phase of such a struggle would consist of Japan's efforts to secure mastery of the sea in order to reinforce her troops. Owing to Japan's great superiority in naval forces in far Eastern waters our feeble division would not risk a decisive battle, but would fall back on our only naval base, Saigon. There it would be blockaded as the Russians were blockaded within Port Arthur."

The report then discusses the means which it is necessary to adopt for the defense of the colony and says the best solution of the problem is to strongly reinforce Indo-China so that the colony may be able to defend itself for several months against the Japanese.

The program to accomplish this consists of a large augmentation of the naval forces in the far East, an increase of the military force of occupation to a minimum of 55,000 men and the establishment of strong naval bases at a total cost of $420,000.

# GAS WORKS VOTE ROUSES FIGHTERS OF PHILADELPHIA

Citizens Prepare to Contest Granting of Seventy-Fve-Year Franchise—Mayor Weaver Is Looked To as the "Folk of the Quaker City."

## ROPES DANGLE ABOVE HEADS OF COUNCILMEN

Strong Guard of Armed Police All That Saved Legislators From Violence at Hands of Outraged Mob During Passage of Ordinance.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PHILADELPHIA, May 19.—Philadelphia's fight to prevent the granting of the 75-year franchise to the United Gas Improvement Co. has just begun.

Despite the fact that at the present time the outlook is very much in favor of the success of the "Gas Works Steal," as the Council's action is termed, the "Committee of Seventy," a reform organization which looks to Mayor Weaver as the "Folk of Philadelphia," is preparing to fight the proceeding to a standstill, with clubs, fists or injunctions, as the needs of the case dictate.

The 13 councilmen who yesterday braved the displeasure of the machine leaders by voting against the granting of the franchise were today congratulated personally by Mayor Weaver at a council at which the course of action to follow Mayor Weaver's veto of the ordinance was discussed.

### Police Draw Revolvers.

Only the presence of a guard of 100 policemen, with drawn revolvers, protected the municipal legislators at last night's session, when the lease was approved.

Ropes dangled from the gallery rail over their heads. The air was filled by screams of "thieves," "traitors," "robbers" and "scoundrels." Defying all this, the aldermen shoved the bill through.

The citizens say the campaign is by no means over. The councilmen are freely threatened with dire punishment. Mayor Weaver is expected to veto the gas bill, but the indications are that the Councils means to pass it over his veto.

The calmer among the opponents of the lease deprecate the talk of mob violence, but are in consultation with attorneys concerning the chance of tying up the lease by injunction proceedings.

### Lease for 75 Years.

Turning down all other bids, the proposed lease gives the city's gas plant to the United Gas Improvement Co. for a term of 75 years for $25,000,000, to be paid in various installments before the end of 1907.

The vote in the Common Council was 74 to 9; in the Select Council 37 to 4. There is but one Democrat in each body. Both voted against the bill.

The only concessions to the citizens was an amendment to the lease slightly reducing prices, which are to be as follows: Until Jan. 1, 1911, $1 per 1000 feet; 1911 to 1921, 95c; 1921 to 1936, 90c; 1936 to 1956, 85c; thereafter until the expiration of the lease, 80c.

When the Common Council gathered a crowd of several thousand people surrounded the City Hall. In the gallery about 500 had found seats or standing room.

Hisses and catcalls rendered routine proceedings impossible. President McCurdy ordered the galleries cleared.

"Just try it," screamed a voice from the crowd, and in an instant a dozen ropes were dangling from the gallery rail.

"You yellow dog," shouted another voice, "a hundred of us here have guns. Start a riot and you'll get enough of it, you thieves."

### Guards Are Beaten.

Sergeant-at-Arms Engleman, leading a dozen assistants, made a rush for the gallery. The assistants' nightsticks were wrested from them in an instant.

Engleman was pinned to the wall by the furious crowd, beaten, half denuded and hurled down the gallery stairs.

In the meantime a call for police had been turned in. Lieut. Lynch quickly arrived with 100 reserves. The bluecoats drew their revolvers and, overawed by their presence, the crowd partly subsided while the bill was rushed through.

Then the lease was rushed to the Select Council, where it was hurriedly passed.

The aldermen went home heavily guarded. "Hang the robbers!" "Kill them!" "Thieves!" "Traitors!" were the cries which greeted each one as he appeared at the entrance to the City Hall.

A call has been issued for a still stronger demonstration when the bill comes up for consideration a second time, after it has been vetoed by the Mayor.

In a pinch, use ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE, A powder for tired, aching feet. All druggists, 25c.

## HAS PLENTY OF MONEY TO BURN

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PINE GROVE, Pa., May 2.—Chief Burgess John Doll, before going to the circus, put all of his portable wealth, $1000 in currency, in a cigar box and deposited it in the oven of his cold stove, which he believed would be out of commission surely till the Sunday baking should be done. But Mrs. Doll concluded to get the Sunday baking out of the way before her husband's return. So she heated up the kitchen stove, piping hot. When she thought it about right she opened the oven door, only to find inside the smoking ashes of a cigar box and something that looked suspiciously like "money to burn." It fairly crumbled as she touched it, but she got it out of the oven and smothered the remaining flames as best she could.

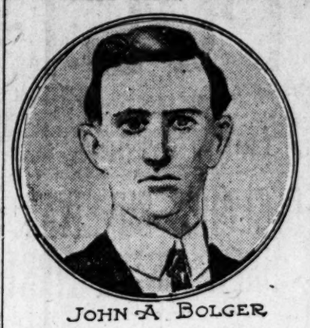
The Burgesses will ask Uncle Sam to put on his specs and see if he can't decipher enough of the ashes' currency to redeem it, whole or in part.

## TREASURY DEFICIT FOUND.

NEW MADRID, Mo., May 19.—The County Court, following a review of ex-County Treasurer L. S. Wathen's books, has announced that the former official owes the county $10,085.63, and ordered him to turn that amount over to his successor, S. R. Hunter Jr.

The surety company on Mr. Wathen's bond maintains that, by a clerical oversight, the latter charged himself with a larger sum than was really in the treasury when he took office.

## FORMER SOLDIER, PARTED FROM WIFE, ENDS LIFE.



JOHN A. BOLGER.

# "IT'S POISON THEN," HE PHONES WIFE

Young Husband, Former Soldier, Ends Life Upon Mate Refusing to Return to Him.

His wife refusing to return to him, after leaving because of his drinking, John A. Bolger, 26 years old, swallowed carbolic acid in the office of the De Hodiamont Lumber Co., 6400 Maple avenue, at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon. He had called his wife by telephone and asked her to live with him again. She had refused.

"Then it's carbolic acid tonight, 'Kid,'" he said, and hung up the receiver. He did not wait until night, however, but swallowed the poison immediately.

Walking into the lumber yard he told G. E. Jordan, who had discharged him for drinking, and other employes, whom he met, "Boys, it's all off."

He dropped to the ground within a hundred feet of the office. Taken to the City Hospital he died at 8 p. m.

Bolger's home was in Boston, Mass. He served two terms in the regular army, Eleventh Cavalry, and saw service in the Philippines and Cuba.

# TRAINS IN CRASH; 8 KILLED; 4 HURT

Mistake in Reading Orders Causes a Fatal Railroad Collision in Western Kentucky.

THE DEAD.

B. ENGLISH, engineer No. 193, Elizabethtown, Ky.
CHARLES ST. CLAIR, fireman No. 193, Louisville.
CORDIA SMITH, colored, brakeman.
DOC TURNEY, Louisville.
FOSTER BELL, fireman No. 152, Louisville.
BEN ENGLISH, conductor No. 152, Cecelia.
GEORGE HOLLIS, colored, brakeman.
MAT OWEN, colored, tramp, Litchfield.

THE INJURED.

Wallace Yates, engineer No. 152; injured by jumping.
James Crenshaw, stockman of Knob Lick; leg broken.
Ed Craney of Columbus, O., and Gus Fallinger of Cincinnati, traveling men, painfully bruised.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

OWENSBORO, Ky., May 19.—Eight people killed and four injured is the result of a disastrous wreck on the Illinois Central near McHenry, caused, it is said, by a mistake in reading orders by the conductor and engineer of one of the trains. Both trains were freights, one a local between Louisville and Central City and the other a through freight. They met at full speed going around a curve, which obscured them from each other until almost together. A large number of hogs and cattle carried on one of the trains were killed, many of the animals being roasted to death by steam from the wrecked engines, upon which the cars carrying the stock were smashed.

SUMMER COLDS.
Laxative Bromo Quinine, the world-wide Cold Cure, removes the cause. Call for the full name and look for signature of E. W. Grove. 25c.

## LOSES HIS BRIDE AT ALTAR

Minister Waiting to Perform Ceremony When Girl Elopes With Her Cousin.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MOUNT PLEASANT, Tenn., May 18.—The fickle little god of love played havoc with the hymenial arrangements of some of Mount Pleasant's young lovers a few nights ago.

W. M. White, superintendent of the Central Phosphate Co., armed with the written sanction of the mother of the two girls, secured from the county court clerk at Columbia a double license providing for the marriage of himself and Miss Bettie Stockard, and Millard Freeman and Miss Lulu Stockard, all the parties being from Mount Pleasant.

At the appointed hour, with the loving couples on the floor, the waiting minister ready to pronounce the solemn words that should make two out of four, one Mr. Chappel whispered in Miss Bettie's ear that Charles Freeman, a cousin of Millard, wanted to speak a few words with her. She tripped lightly to and out of the door, and, stepping into the buggy where the dauntless Charles awaited her, they drove rapidly away, leaving the message behind that they were going after a license of their own. Sure enough, they went to Pulaski, were duly married and returned next day.

Meantime the three-fourths so rudely shocked and sundered indefinitely postponed their fractional happiness, and are now endeavoring to cash in a useless double license.

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## MAINE'S GRAND OLD MAN.

Ex-Gov. Garcelon, 92, Still Attends to Professional Duties.

LEWISTON, Me., May 18.—His 92d birthday is not dreamed of importance enough in the life of Maine's venerable ex-Governor, Alonzo Garcelon, for him to pay any particular attention to it, consequently he is attending to business as usual today.

Early in the week he had a call to go to Troy to consult with a patient in regard to having his leg amputated, and though most men of his age would consider that his lifework had been done, Dr. Garcelon heeded the call and went to Troy.

The doctor, however, is not quite so actively engaged in practice as he has been, and is living rather a life of ease with his daughter in this city. He has also spent considerable time this winter with another daughter in Massachusetts.

In spite of his age Dr. Garcelon is still vigorous, both physically and mentally, and bids fair to bear his honors as Maine's "grand old man" for some years to come.

# VALHALLA LEADS TO THE TURN AT NANTUCKET LIGHT

Earl of Crawford's Entrant in the Trans-Atlantic Race the First Contestant to the Initial Turn in the Long Course.

## HAMBURG AND ATLANTIC HAVING A FINE CONTEST.

German Yacht in Advance of Capt. Barr a Short Distance When Watchers Turned Back and Quit the Race Yesterday.

**NANTUCKET LIGHTSHIP (by Wireless Telegraph to Newport, R. I.), May 19.—The first of the yachts competing in the transatlantic race for the Emperor William cup to be reported here was picked up before daylight this morning.**

**The vessel was four miles distant and as she displayed no signals there was some debate as to her identity. She is believed, however, to have been the Earl of Crawford's auxiliary ship Valhalla, as she answered the description of that vessel. She carried full sail.**

**The Valhalla appears to have made the 193 miles to the lightship at an approximate average of 5.51 knots an hour.**

NEW YORK, May 19.—The German schooner Hamburg was leading the ocean race for the Kaiser's cup yesterday, according to reports brought in from the steam yacht Oneida, which folowed the racers 130 miles out from Sandy Hook.

A mile and a half behind the Hamburg was the Atlantic on the same tack and footing at a great rate. Both boats were crowding on all the sail they could handle, close hauled, and were beating against the 15-knot breeze blowing from the northeast.

When the Oneida headed back to New York, Thursday, the weather was so thick that nothing could be seen of the other contestants in the transatlantic race until the Ailsa was sighted, only 75 miles out. The Oneida was not able to learn what had delayed her. She appeared to be making good headway, and to be driving hard to make up lost ground.

The other vessels in the fleet scattered early in the race, and are probably hurrying in widely divergent courses.

From the time elapsed from the start of the race until the Oneida turned back, the Hamburg and Atlantic had made good progress, footing fast all the way. Both boats were admirably handled and took advantage of every possible point.

The showing made by the Hamburg was a big surprise, and the opinion was expressed by the returning yachtsmen that if the German yacht and the Atlantic have equal luck with the weather they will furnish as pretty a race as could be wished for, the issue probably depending on the choice of a course.

Both are likely to go well to the north, chancing danger to the limit of reasonable safety, hoping to get strong winds in the northern circle.

## GAS MEN, NOT STOCK, WATERED

Lawyer Turns Hose on Employes Who Try to Shut Off Lighting Supply.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

FINDLAY, O., May 18.—When two men of the Logan Natural Gas Co. appeared at the residence of M. M. Carrothers, Representative from Hancock County, today to turn off the gas they were met at the gate by the irate gentleman with a hose, from which poured a stream of water. As the men attempted to disconnect the gas Mr. Carrothers turned the water on them, drenching them and putting them to rout. The men returned, only to receive a second drenching.

While one of them was attracting the attention of the lawmaker from Hancock the other slipped up behind and cut the hose. The cause of the difficulty arose over the Logan Gas company refusing to recognize a contract entered into between Mr. Carrothers and the Citizens' Gaslight and Coke Co. several years ago.

## EXPERIMENTS ON BEEF TARGET

Prosecuting Attorney Uses Slabs of Meat to Determine Effects of Pistol Bullets.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

AKRON, O., May 20.—Great slabs of beef, covered with cloth, the thickness of clothing, were used as subjects by Prosecutor Hagelbarger before the grand jury, and them to determine the effect of bullets.

The grand jury is investigating the mysterious death of Grace Trumphour, at Barberton, a few months ago, in the house of her fiance, Nelson Kepler, with whom she lived. Grace went to her room one night and shortly afterward a shot rang out. The family rushed in and found the girl writhing in death, a bullet through her heart. Nelson Kepler stood caldly by and declared the girl had committed suicide. He was the only witness, and has steadfastly stood by his story.

## CHINESE WOMAN A DOCTOR

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 20.—Miss Li Bi Cu of Hing Ghua, China, who has spent the last four years in this city taking a medical course at the Women's Medical college, will graduate from that institution this year with high honors. So far as is known, Miss Li is the first Chinese woman to study medicine in this country. She was born in Hing Ghua, where her father is considered the most prominent man of that community. He is also the leading spirit in the Methodist Church of that province.

The Chinese maiden has been in this country more than eight years, and has spent all of her time in hard study. She first studied at Herkimer college, New York. She graduated from that institution with high honors and decided to take her medical course in this city.

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# NO "HARBOR" FOR UNLICENSED DOGS

Sixty-Two Owners Haled Into Court and Five Fined—To Summon 500 Others.

Unlicensed dogs will have to be licensed or killed. A round-up has been ordered and is in progress. Sixty-two owners of unlicensed dogs were charged with "harboring" in the City Hall Police Court Friday and there were 30 of the same kind of cases in the Wyoming Street Court.

Four persons were fined $5 each in the City Hall Court. Several had not been found and many had taken out licenses after the complaints had been filed. The cases against those who had not been found were continued. One person was fined $5 in the Wyoming Street Court.

There are believed to be between 20,000 and 35,000 dogs in St. Louis. During the next week complaints will be made against 500 owners of unlicensed dogs and licenses will have to be taken out in all cases or the animals killed.

## THIS MUSIC HAD CHARMS

Seven Men Turned to Seven Sleepers by Strains of an Italian Harp.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PEORIA, Ill., May 19.—Rosetti, a French harpist, a modern Svengali, worked a hypnotic spell Sunday evening, in which seven local Germans, adepts in music, were wafted to an unnatural sleep by his wonderful playing of his instrument. Herman Sanders, tenor, and Herman Bauer, zitherist, prominent residents, were among those who fell under Rosetti's spell. He played an Italian opera and the music fell from his finger tips so deftly that it fairly entranced his hearers.

Finally the old man left his instrument and went to his quarters. He awakened six hours afterwards and said he had traveled in a wonderful country of music and flowers. His subjects awakened at the same time and marveled over the strange circumstance. Today Rosetti returned to Sanders for his harp and said he had almost forgotten where he had been Sunday night. Rosetti is 68 years old. He has been in America 15 years and 38 years ago was arrested in Paris for playing the "Marseillaise" on the street.

SELLING W. L. DOUGLAS SHOES FOR $2.65.
W. L. Douglas $3.50 Shoes are to be sold for $2.65 at the Globe, Seventh and Franklin avenue, tomorrow. There are 200 pairs, in tan or black, high and low shoes. A sale of men's $12.50 Suits for $7.50 is also announced. See the Globe's ad. on page 6, this paper.

# LIFE INSURANCE CO. FUND IS IMPAIRED

United States Life Controlled by Gould Interests, Says State Superintendent's Rport.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Following the Equitable Life disclosures, comes the announcement by the State Insurance Department that it has discovered an impairment of $70,257 in the capital stock of the United States Life Insurance Co., controlled by interests allied with the Goulds, due to unwise investments in securities of the Virginia Passenger and Power Co., controlled by Frank Gould, also overvaluation of real estate to the amount of $101,750.

The impairment has been made good by a friend of the company, said to be Frank Gould, or some member of the Gould family, taking over the securities.

Dr. John P. Munn, family physician of the Goulds, is president of the company, and Charles A. Gardner, personal counsel of the Gould family, is one of the directors.

The Virginia company is an electric road. Its stock was accepted by the Gould Insurance Co. at 85. Interest is in default and the company is in the hands of a receiver. The insurance company practically wiped out the "asset" allowing a 10-percent valuation instead of 85 per cent paid by the company.

Mr. Hendricks in a supplementary report dated May 5, said that the company has sold the bonds at 85. President Munn of the company refused to say anything except "We stand on the report of the Superintendent of Insurance of May 5," and that the company obtained its quotation of 85 "from one of the best bond houses in Wall street." He declined to name the house.

Some comment was made in insurance circles over the fact that the impairment of the capital of the United States Life Insurance Co. was made good after the revelation of the Equitable troubles. It was discovered last February.

## MARRIED UNDER OLD LICENSE

Chicago Couple Are Wedded, Using a Document Issued Nearly 22 Years Ago.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, May 19.—A marriage license taken out nearly 22 years ago was used a few days ago, according to a return made to Morris Salmonson, marriage license clerk of Cook County. The document showed that Heinrich Lamke and Miss Sophie Poggensee of the town of Jefferson were married by Rev. Carl R. Hoffmann of Maywood. Inquiry at Maywood failed to find Rev. Mr. Hoffmann, but it was learned that the newly married couple were living about two miles outside the village. Lembke, it is said, is a laborer. The license was issued June 26, 1883, when M. V. Ryan was county clerk.

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# DEPLORES CONGO STATE CONDITIONS

## Foreign Secretary of Baptist Missionary Union Asks for Government Investigation.

## SPEECH WAS APPLAUDED

## Dr. Barbour Says Administration Is "So-Called Christian Form of Government."

Thomas S. Barbour, D. D., Foreign Secretary of the American Baptist Missionary Union, meeting Friday at the Third Baptist Church, won applause in an address during the morning by denouncing conditions in the Congo Free State, Africa. His expression of hope that the American Government will investigate met the approval of the delegates, as shown by applause.

"Conditions in Congo demand an investigation," said Secretary Barbour. "They are deplorable, although under the administration of a so-called Christian form of government. I hope that the American Government will make an investigation."

The session of the Missionary Union opened at 10 a. m. President William A. Munroe of Massachusetts addressed the body, briefly. The assemblage sang "From Greenland's Icy Mountains."

Foreign Secretary Barbour, speaking of the financial condition of the organization, said that it was $25,000 ahead of the year previous. Treasurer Charles W. Perkins, in his report, made during the morning, said that the receipts for the year had been $777,689.28, and expenditures $789,008, leaving debts of $11,368.72.

An interesting incident occurred while Secretary Barbour was speaking. R. J. Winningham of Richmond, Va., a representative of the Southern Baptist Missionary Union, which by the present meeting has been reunited with the American Union, took a seat on the stage. Mr. Barbour stopped speaking to shake hands with him and said, "Now that we have come together again, we are both able to do better work for the cause."

The Rev. Samuel H. Greene, Washington, D. C., who was on the program for an address on "The Plain Duty of the Hour," was absent because of illness.

The remainder of the morning was occupied with reports of committees.


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# BOTH PAST THE CENTURY MARK IN LIFE

## Col. Francis Davis and Wife, Living at Footville, Wis., With No Thought of Dr. Osler and His Theories.

## BOTH WERE SLAVES BEFORE THE WAR

## Went North at the Close of Hostilities and Made a Home, Earned a Competence and Are Enjoying Life.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JANESVILLE, Wis., May 19.—The two oldest residents of Footville and among the most highly respected citizens are Col. and Mrs. Francis Davis, ex-slaves. Mr. Davis is 108 years old and was a slave until just prior to the War of the Rebellion, when he purchased his freedom. His wife is 105 years of age and was freed by Abraham Lincoln's emancipation proclamation. He was born May 1, 1797, at Chesterfield, S. C. Three different masters at least he knows of, and he can remember of being twice sold.

During the war he served as cook in the Union Army. He was with Grant for a year and prepared food for Wisconsin soldiers three more years. It was as a result of his life in the army that he came North, being directed to the southern portion of the State by Wisconsin soldiers. For several years he lived with Guy Wheeler near this city.

Mr. Davis' wife, Hattie, was born some time during the year 1800. She has no knowledge of the exact date of her birth, but can remember that during the war of 1812 she used to collect and return washing for the United States troops, when the army was stationed at Charlestown, S. C., and was called 12 years of age.

After the granting of her freedom she joined the Union troops as cook and served in that capacity to the officers of the Second Wisconsin Cavalry. At the close of the war Truman Kimball, James Baxter and other Janesville men were influential in bringing her to Wisconsin and it was here that she became acquainted with Francis Davis. In 1867 they were married at Brodhead and are now members of the Congregational Church of that place.

They lived in Brohead for a short time and then purchased a farm in the town of Magnolia. Together they worked this property until both had passed the century mark, and came to be among the greatly respected and honored residents of the county. They now reside at Footville and both are in the best of health and spirits.

Mr. Davis says that the greatest part of his career as a slave was pleasant, but he vividly remembers of being severely whipped while working on a cotton plantation in Mississippi.

A guest of his master had lost a purse containing a sum of money and accusation fell upon Davis. He asserted that he was innocent of the charge, but was stripped, tied to a post and beaten cruelly. He received this intermittent flogging all during one night and until the following morning, his persecutors believing that he would be forced to confess the theft. His innocence was proven the next day, when the lost article and contests were found by the owner, where he had placed them.

# GIRLS IN MILITARY DRILL.

## Forest Park University Students Perform Athletic Feats and Play Basket Ball Match.

The girls of the Forest Park University played a game of basket ball and gave a military drill in the gymnasium of the school last night.

The first thing on the program was a military drill given by 34 of the girls under the command of Miss Pearl Corl. The drill was taught by Lieutenants Reese and Platt of the United States army.

Miss Harriet Worthington then did a few turns on the swinging rings and Miss Ella Wiese did some very clever feats on a ladder.

The basket ball teams, the White and the Green, who struggle every year for the supremacy of the school, and of which two teams the Whites have for the last few years been the victors, then played their annual game. The game was played in two 15-minute halves. In the first half the Whites played a much better game than the Green, and at the end of the half the score was: White 7, Green 6. In the second half the Green played like a new team, while the Whites seemed a bit rattled, and the final score was: Green 18, White 11. Capt. Hazel Hackenyos of the Green played the best game of the evening. Capt. Agnes Pfeffer and Miss Harriet Worthington of the Whites also played a fast game.

In one end of the gymnasium a platform had been erected and on which sat the large crowd of spectators. The line-up was as follows:

| Green. | Positions. | White. |
|---|---|---|
| Hazel Hackenyos. | Captain | Agnes Pfeffer |
| Hazel Hackenyos. | Goal | Harriet Worthington |
| Leah Townsend | Center | Florence Berry |
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| Lulu Hendley | Guard | Agnes Pfeffer |
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# EMBEZZLER WENT ON POLICE FORCE

## Arresting Man to Send Him to Pen When Appeal Was Lost, Deputy Makes Discovery.

When George Merkel was taken into custody Friday to be sent to the penitentiary for two years on affirmation of his conviction of embezzlement, it was discovered that for seven months, while under sentence for the crime, he was a member of the St. Louis police force.

Merkel was tried in October, 1903, on the charge of embezzling $337 from Alexander Landau and was sentenced Oct. 21 in Judge Taylor's division to two years in the penitentiary. He appealed to the Supreme Court.

In March, 1904, while the appeal was pending before the Supreme Court, Merkel applied for appointment as a policeman during the World's Fair. April 1 he was sworn in. He served until Oct. 7, when the force was reduced.

The decision of the Supreme Court, confirming the action of the lower court, was announced Thursday and his arrest ordered. While Deputy Sheriff Eisleben was looking for him, he discovered that the Merkel under conviction and the Merkel who had been on the police force were the same.

# DESPERATE DESERTER CAUGHT

## Soldier Who Felled Guard With Brick Arrested, Also a Recruit Who Fled.

James Farney and Luke Congleton, deserters from the United States Army, were captured in St. Louis by the police Thursday, turned over to the military authorities at Jefferson Barracks and will be sent to the military post at Des Moines, Ia., Friday, the latter to be tried for desertion and the former to be recommitted to military prison on a previous sentence, following a second trial for a desperate assault on a guard in the prison from which he escaped. The St. Louis policemen who captured them will receive a reward of $50 each for their apprehension.

Farney has a record as a dangerous prisoner. He is said to have deserted from the Twenty-seventh Volunteer Infantry in the Philippines during a native insurrection Jan. 18, 1901. He was captured in San Francisco Sept. 18, of the same year, and was sentenced to a term of 10 years in the Albatras, Cal., military prison. Not long ago he escaped from this prison by assaulting a guard, knocking him senseless with a brick, and scaling the prison walls. Nothing was heard of him since then until his arrest in St. Louis.

Luke Congleton, captured in company with Farney, is a recruit, and is charged with having deserted from Columbus barracks, O., last January.

# PRESIDENT NOTHING TO SAY

## Will Not Discuss Report That He Is Writing a Book on Hunting Experiences.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—President Roosevelt has nothing to say with regard to the report from Denver that he has contracted to write a book containing the story of his various hunting trips and a series of magazine articles dealing with the latest of them. He would neither affirm nor deny the report.

If he does write the magazine articles, it will be the first time that a President has done literary work of that kind. Other Presidents have written parts of books while in the White House.

Since President Roosevelt has been in office, books of which he is the author have been put on the market and new editions of old ones have been got out, but he has not written an entire book since taking office.

# REVOKES SALOON LICENSES

## Excise Commissioner Also Directs Three Places Be Closed.

Excise Commissioner Mulvihill on Friday revoked the licenses of saloonkeepers Nicholas Granrath of 1623 Franklin avenue and John Meinerich of 2135 South Second street on the charge of violation of the Sunday-closnig law.

eH also directed the police to close the saloons run by Bertha Braun, 6930 South Broadway; K. Tajkowski, 110 O'Fallon street, and William Schaeffer, 1024 Couteau avenue, on the ground that these places were being operated under licenses granted to other persons than those named.


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## London's Big Rat Catch.

LONDON, May 18.—The medical officer of health of the Port of London reports that 85,595 rats were caught in ships and warehouses at the London docks last year. Since rat-catching began in 1901 under the control of the sanitary authorities—the object being to prevent the spread of disease, especially plague—the rodent death-roll has totalled 228,377.

# PERJURY CLAUSE MAY YIELD BEFORE CUPID

## Indiana's New Marriage License Law Robbed of Its Worst Sting.

## SMALL FINE FOR VIOLATION

## Elopers Along Kentucky Border Happy Because Bars to Wedded Bliss Are Down.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., May 18.—Although two mn have recently been given prison sentences at Jeffersonville for perjury in marriage cases, there may hereafter be no such offense as perjury with regard to the securing of a marriage license in Indiana if a recent ruling of Jurge Francisco of the Switzerland County Circuit Court is well taken.

A few days ago the Kentucky Children's Home Society, in its efforts to protect one of its wards, who had been wedded to a Kentucky man against the will of the organization as her guardian, caused the arrest of Charles Day, an ex-convict, on a charge of perjury. Day made the affidavit on which the license in question was issued, making oath that Margaret Johnson, the 14-year-old ward of the society, was 18 years of age; that her mother was born in Indiana; that her father was born in Indiana, and that Margaret Johnson herself was born in Woodford County, Kentucky when, in fact, it is alleged, every statement was false, Charles Day having no knowledge of the child or her parents.

There was really no defense against the charge of having made the false affidavit. The facts were clear. But Day's attorney contended that Day was not amenable to the law against perjury, which would have made his offense a felony, and that he was amenable only under a recent special statute regarding marriages, and that under this statute his offense was only a misdemeanor punishable by fine. The judge accepted this view and let Day off with a trivial fine of $25. If this decision holds perjury in promotion of runaway marriages will again become an established profession in the Indiana river towns and the nefarious matrimonial bureaus will again prosper in spite of the efforts to break them up, it is said.

### How the Case Started.

The case grew out of the elopement two weeks ago of a farmhand, Riley Darbro, and Margaret Johnson, a 14-year-old girl, a ward of the Kentucky Children's Home Society, who had been placed in the home of Mrs. Susannah Butts at Carrollton, Ky. The child, according to her own version, says she did not know what she was about; that she was inveigled into the farce by trickery. According to her story she was persuaded to go to Vevay, Ind., with Riley Darbro on a "lark," and that under this arrangement she was taken there and persuaded to consent to false statements about her age, etc., so that a marriage license might be procured. Under the Indiana law governing the issuance of a license in a case where there is doubt, as to the age of the contracting persons, an affidavit of some disinterested person is necessary to the issuance of the license. Charles Day was procured to make the necessary oath as to the age of the applicants, it is said, and as to the birthplace of the young girl, her residence, the birthplace of her parents and their residence, etc. Day did make this oath, it is said, and hence the charge of perjury against him.

### Foster Mother Acts.

The elopement in the meantime was discovered by her foster mother, Mrs. Susannah Butts, who immediately demanded a writ of habeas corpus for the return of the girl to her custody. The writ was served by the the sheriff of Carroll County within an hour and a half after the marriage ceremony at Vevay. When the couple reached the Kentucky side they drove at once to the house of Darbro, where, it is said, some 20 friends of the groom had collected for the purpose of helping him keep his bride. Miss Mary Butts, the youngest daughter, as soon as she heard that the child had gone to the home of Darbro, went there also, and, in spite of opposition and threats of expulsion and of violence, took a determined stand and kept guard over the child, saying that she did not propose to leave her unprotected a single moment, but intended to stay until the officer of the law appeared with proper credentials to take the child away. She waited at the home from late in the afternoon until after dark, when the officer came with the writ of habeas corpus and took the child back to her mother's home. The trial in the habeas corpus case resulted in an agreed judgment whereby Mrs. Butts was given the custody of the girl, who, when she learned the import of the escapade, at once repudiated the marriage and refused to have anything further to do with Darbro.

The arrest of Day followed the habeas corpus proceedings.


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# ST. LOUIS MAN IS NOW COMMANDER

## Henry Fairback Elected to Head the Missouri Department of Grand Army Veterans.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BROOKFIELD, Mo., May 19.—Delegates and visitors to the annual encampment of the Missouri G. A. R. Veterans left the city today, their sessions having ended. Before adjourning last night, Jefferson City was chosen as the place for holding the encampment next year, and officers were elected as follows:

Department Commander, Henry Fairback, St. Louis; Senior Vice-Commander, John M. Williams, California; Junior Vice-Commander, A. J. Lanning, Brookfield; Medical Advisor, Dr. H. N. Keener, St. Joseph; Chaplain, Rev. T. J. Ferrell, Bowling Green. The newly elected officers were then installed by Col. George W. Martin, Past Department Commander.

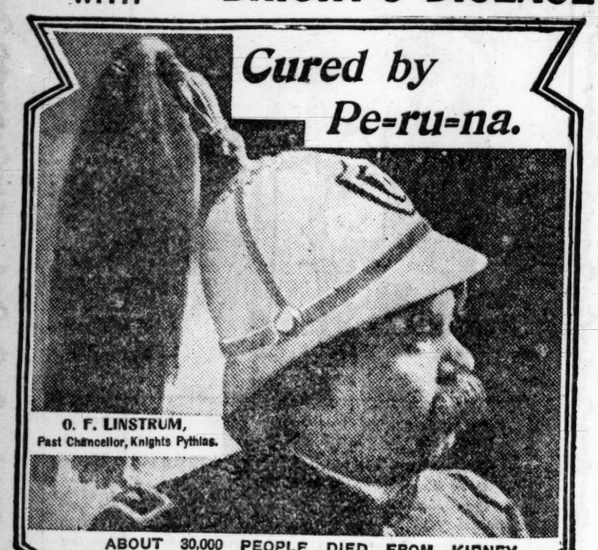
The records show that the death loss in the membership in Missouri the past year has been 298.

The Sons of Veterans elected officers as follows: Division Commander, H. Y. P. Kesseleyng, St. Louis; Senior Vice-Commander, C. T. Goodbrake, Lexington; Junior Vice-Commander, Gust Schultz, Cape Girardeau; Treasurer, O. E. Zesch, St. Louis; Division Council—F. G. Uthoff, F. E. Wissner and G. P. Lentz, L. C. Spies of St. Louis was elected delegate to the National Encampment at Denver.

At the session of the Woman's Relief Corps, Mrs. Mattie E. Rich of Moberly wa selected Department Commander, while the convention of the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic elected Mrs. Susan B. Appal of Hannibal President.

NEW YORK, May 19.—John Phillips, a plumber of Sea Cliff, L. I., received a fatal shock in attempting to turn on an incandescent light last night. He had seized the bulb in one hand and the button in the other. A peculiar feature of the fatality is that shock from a voltage of upwards of 2200 volts left no mark on his body.


THREATENED WITH BRIGHT'S DISEASE




ABOUT 30,000 PEOPLE DIED FROM KIDNEY TROUBLE LAST YEAR. ONE-HALF OF THESE DEATHS WERE CAUSED BY CATARRH OF THE KIDNEYS. EVERYBODY SHOULD READ THIS TESTIMONIAL.

O. Fred Linstrum, Past Grand, I. O. O. F., Past Chancellor Twin City Lodge, No. 63, K. P., also Past Chief Patriarch, Ridgely Encampment, No. 22, I. O. O. F., writes from 1923 University Avenue, St. Paul, Minn.

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MACLYN ARBUCKLE.

# "THE SKIMMED-MILK PLAY'S THE THING"

—Maclyn Arbuckle

## Noted Comedian Says Most Americans Were Raised on Skimmed Milk and Like to Look Back on the Life.

The good old skimmed milk play's
The thing!
It mirrors those old simple days
When mostly all of us were jays
And tilled the soil in divers ways.
We're city people now and smart;
We keep an autobubble cart—
But we're the same old Rubes at heart,
By jing!

The good old skimmed milk play's
The sport!
We're mostly seeing better days;
We're rich, aristocratic ways,
And love to call the farmers jays.
But faugh! For all our marble halls,
Our gulleless hearts (like Parsifal's!)
'Mid smiling fields, in overalls,
Cavort.

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Maclyn Arbuckle, St. Louis' premier comedian, home from his second season as the Hon. Jim Hackler in George Ade's political comedy, "The County Chairman," is visiting his parents at 5611 Bartmer avenue.

Mr. Arbuckle is accompanied by his wife. They will be here but a fortnight, having planned to spend the summer at a country place which Mr. Arbuckle has purchased in the St. Lawrence river country.

Mr. Arbuckle is rotund, jocund and exceeding profound.

Sitting in the quiet of his study yesterday afternoon, with a cigar to inspire him, he was the symbol of good-conscienced ease.

Mr. Arbuckle has "arrived" in theatricals. His ponderous and pleasantly featured figure is safely and sharply silhouetted against that nebulous mass in which are the multitude of stage people who have never succeeded in winning a place among the fixed stars.

When George Ade had written "The County Chairman," Henry W. Savage called Arbuckle in and asked him to read the play. "I want you to take that part of Col. Jim Hackler," the producer said.

Arbuckle read the play, and Savage said: "What do you think of it?"

"It's the thing I've been seeking eight years," said the big Westerner.

That was the dawn of Maclyn Arbuckle's heyday. He has just finished his second season as Hackler, and he will have a third season in the same part. The success of the piece in the East has been so exceptional that Mr. Savage has never found it expedient to send the original production West. Last season he organized a Western company, with Theodore Roberts in the part of Hackler, and this production of "The County Chairman" we saw at the Century Theater this season.

### The Life We Know.

"The success of 'The County Chairman' did not surprise me a bit," said Mr. Arbuckle. "I felt certain that it would have a fine career. I had been insisting for a long time that what we want on the stage is drama drawn from the life we know.

"The most of us here in America were raised on skimmed milk. We haven't been in the cities long. Our fathers were all raised on farms. We know the country life, and when we go to the theater and see a good skimmed-milk play we sit there and say over and over again: 'I've seen that a thousand times.' 'I've seen that a thousand times!'

"It's the life we know—the only life we do know. These society plays we import from Europe have no appeal for Americans. The problem plays and the psychological plays are all so much Greek to the masses of the people. They sit in the theaters and ask: 'Is that the way they do over there?' 'Have you been over there? Is that right?'

"There you are. How can we expect to amuse people with life of which they know nothing? We can't do it, and never shall.

"What we want is something mirroring the life they know—good old skimmed-milk plays. We're this and that and everything on the surface, but at heart we are mostly all of us old-fashioned country people whose sense of smell is keenly attuned to the perfume of the fields.

"We are a people born out of the soil, and the smell of the soil is what appeals to us. It lifts the curtain and reveals the thing which is closest and dearest to our hearts, because it is the thing amid which we were born and raised.

"What do we know about European cafes and art galleries and this and that which not one in a hundred of us every heard of except to have read of it in a rather disinterested way? No, indeed; that isn't the sort of thing we want. We want Americanisms that have been a part of our daily lives.

### The Great American Play.

"The great American play will be a play of this sort. It will reflect the life with which the American people are familiar. It will come out of our own soil, and when it does come the people will be amazed that any such dramatic possibilities should have existed right in our midst.

"I don't know who will write it—whether it will be Ade or Thomas or who, but it will be some American who understands that the most appealing thing in the theatrical world is a play which turns the mind back to things with which every man and woman in the audience is intimately familiar.

"The part of Jim Hackler is a fine creation for that very reason. We all know country politics here in the United States. We were raised among them. When we see them transplanted to the stage as Ade has done it in this comedy we rejoice in the knowledge that this is the real thing. We can attest to it ourselves. That gives it the quality of genuineness—a great quality. I can assure you.

"When we were beginning our run in Chicago I saw a New Yorker who assured me that the piece would not run two weeks in New York. I ventured to question his judgment. New York is like all the other big cities—the masses of its people were raised on skimmed milk. They know what kind of a tree a pumpkin grows on and what time of year the crops are put in. They are farmers at heart. They were born farmers, and once a farmer always a farmer.

"New York confirmed my expectations. It could scarcely get enough of 'The County Chairman.' I had been assured that it would be a great road show, but not everyone shared my confidence in its appeal as a city show.

### A Farmer Himself.

"I knew the people better than some of my friends did. I was born out West. I spent my boyhood in Texas, and was a little of everything down there before I became an actor.

"Like every comedian, I began with a mind to play tragedy. I was heading for the shoes of John McCullough. In the course of time I gravitated into comedy—the niche which was mine by natural fitness. I play Jim Hackler with scarcely any make-up. I have seen the Colonel's prototype so many times that I know better than to take any liberties with his appearance, for the people know him as well as I.

"Singularly, I have an old picture of myself as I was during a campaign down in Texas that just about hits me off as I appear on the stage in the Ade comedy. I was not quite 21 years old then, and was a candidate for justice of the peace. I always say that Grover Cleveland and I went down together, for we were both defeated that fall—he for President and I for justice of the piece.

"I was so fond of Shakspeare that I always wound up my political addresses with something from the Bard. One time it would be the soliloquy of Hamlet; another this, and another that. The people got so they expected it, and they always called for it. I wouldn't be surprised to know that that was what beat me, for there were better Shakspearean readers in the country at that time than I was."

Mr. Arbuckle is in middle life. His wife is not on the stage, though she travels with him a great deal. He says he is domestic by nature, and that he would not follow acting at all if he could do something else as profitably. He thinks it possible that he may play in St. Louis next season. He says if St. Louis likes you it likes you hard, and that if it dislikes you it can leave you alone harder than any other city.

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## West End Heights Stock Company to Begin Season of Comedies Next Sunday.

The second stock company to take the field in the St. Louis summer gardens will begin its season next Sunday afternoon, when Washburn's New York Comedians will produce "The Man From Mexico" at West End Heights.

J. H. Washburn, the manager, is a former St. Louisan, quite well known among local theatrical people and playgoers. He was treasurer of the Grand Opera House prior to the Ben De Bar regime at that theater, and for the last 11 years has been with F. F. Proctor in New York City. He was for four years manager of one of the Proctor houses in Gotham. Mr. Washburn said this morning:

"I had never seen West End Heights until I came to St. Louis a few days ago. The more I see of it the better I like it. It is a delightful place, and the summer theater there is one of the finest I have seen. I have been testing its acoustics, and find that they are exceptionally good. This is important, for I am going to produce comedies of the better sort in which it will be necessary that the players be heard. We will begin with 'The Man From Mexico,' and follow from week to week with 'Doctor Bill,' 'Pink Dominoes,' 'All the Comforts of Home' and others which are not ordinarily seen for summer garden prices. Our maximum price will be 50 cents.

"My leading man is Harry Burkhardt, formerly with Lawrence Hanley at Koerner's Garden, and this season with 'The Virginian.' My leading lady is Miss Helen Lackaye, sister of Wilton Lackaye. Chas. M. Seay, principal comedian with the Proctor stock company in New York for four years, will be with us, and also Edward Soragban, who was also in the company at Koerner's Garden; Roland Harris, formerly juvenile of the Forepaugh stock company at Philadelphia; Louis Owens, utility man and stage manager at Proctor's Fifty-eighth Street Theater for two years; Miss Carrie Lamont, who was a member of Hopkins' stock company at Pope's Theater in St. Louis, and Miss Justina Wayne, last season with 'The Volunteer Organist.' Miss Lackaye has recently been the leading lady of the Castle Square Theater at Boston. We will give two performances daily, the matinees beginning at 3 o'clock."

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St. Louis and "Wang" have wonderfully close relationship. One of the biggest hits upon its initial performance was made by dainty Della Fox, a native St. Louisan. Now this season along came two more St. Louisans—Sabry D'Orsell, prima donna of Mr. Hopper's revival at the Garrick, and Edna Dorman, a most useful and versatile member of his company.

Miss Dorman was born on Washington avenue and emigrated to New York City a few years ago, where she studied for the dramatic stage. Upon graduating from one of the dramatic schools there, she secured an engagement with the Salisbury Stock Company, Milwaukee, playing ingenue characters for two seasons. Then followed a successful season as second leading lady with the Frawley Stock Company in San Francisco. While in that city Prof. Werner discovered that she possessed a beautifully modulated mezzo soprano, and suggested she enter the lyric field. She secured an engagement with the Shuberts and has gradually risen in the ranks until now she is playing the character Gillette, originally played by Anna O'Keefe.

Miss Rowland, whose name appeared as "Gillette" upon the Garrick program for the initial performance last Sunday night, was suddenly called to her home, thus necessitating the hurried appearance of Miss Dorman. She has also cleverly played Mataya and Marie upon occasions when the regular players were indisposed. Among her many other accomplishments Miss Dorman is an expert horsewoman and can be seen any day, rain or shine, riding a Kentucky bay in Forest Park. She is the owner of the well-known trotter Susie Nutwood, and was one of the blue ribbon winners at the last horse show in New York City. Miss Dorman is a pretty and charming young lady whose rise in the theatrical profession has been effected by hard and honest work.

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The Wills Musical Comedy Company is playing at Suburban Garden in the farcical production, "A Trip to Atlantic City." The company includes the Mason Sisters, dancers and singers; Alvora, impersonator, and James Leslie, whose Dutch comedy is above the average. Next week the company appears in the farcical musical production, "Two Old Cronies."

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$5.95 for Girls' White Serge Coats—a typical summer style—very jaunty and dressy. Made loose box shape with belt—Peggy from Paris pockets and fancy epaulette sleeves—trimmed with military buttons—new full sleeve, with pleated cuffs — double-breasted front and stock collar of green or red. These are real $7.50 values.

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59c for Children's Dresses of fine quality ginghams in the pretty French style, with large plaits and buttons. Ages 2 to 5 years.

$1 for Children's Dresses of white lawn, in the French style, with plaits back and front. Ages 2 to 4 years.

50c for Children's Aprons of sheer white lawns, with long waist or in the yoke styles, trimmed with lawn ruffles. Ages 3 to 10 years.

25c for Children's Pique Hats, with buttoned crowns and wide tie strings. These will launder perfectly.

$1.50 for Children's Pique Coats in the three-quarter length and others in jacket styles, trimmed with embroideries. Ages 1 to 3 years.

75c for Children's Kimonas in figured lawns with solid color border. Ages 6 to 12 years.

Second Floor--Near the Moving Stairway

**Girls' Pretty Summer Hats**

DECIDEDLY clever little ideas for the misses. We study to produce styles different from the usual. Tomorrow we will show girls' rough straw streamer hats in solid and mixed color effects at 95c to ..... $2.45

19c 37c, 75c and $1.50 for Children's untrimmed body hats, natural colors and all new styles, ready to add flowers, wreath or ribbon.

37c for Children's small flower wreaths in white, pink or red, with 95 flowers to the bunch. Regular value 95c.

Second Floor—Five Elevators

**Children's Summer Underwear**

PRICES are lowered on the very day many mothers plan to lay in their supplies of underwear and stockings. Savings are almost a half.

9c for Children's Summer Ribbed Vests and Pants, in sizes from 16 to 20 inches. 15c regularly.

12½c for Children's Summer Ribbed Vests and Pants in sizes 22 to 32. Regular price 25c.

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12½c for Boys' white Summer Shirts and Drawers. Flat goods in sizes 24 to 34. 25c qualities.

15c for Children's Black Stockings in fine 1x1 ribbed cotton, with double sole, heel and knee; full fashioned. 25c goods.

15c for Children's black lisle 1x1 ribbed Stockings, with double sole, heel and knee; seamless. 25c qualities.

9c for Children's lace Stockings in pink and sky blue with double sole and heel.

15c for Infants' lisle hosiery in pink, blue and white, 1x1 ribbed. Sizes 4 to 6.

Main Floor—Aisle Six.

**Children's Natty Straw Sailors**

VERY handsome styles in Milan braids of the finest quality Milan braids, beautifully banded in silk or velvet. We regularly sell these at $4 and $5. Tomorrow they're $2.75

25c to $2.50 for the pretty tub hats and caps which are the vogue right now. We are showing special lines to match the new summer suits.

$1 $1.50 and $2 for boys' hats in felt. The telescope and turban effects have the call. We are showing a great line in all the new colors.

Main Floor—East Door.

**Misses' Theo Ties for Summer**

THE newest, daintiest spring and summer footwear for misses. They come in bright patent leather with low front and tied over the instep with large ribbon bow. Sizes 11 to 2 at ..... $2

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Main Floor—East door.

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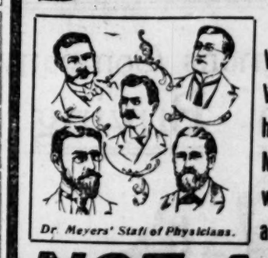

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## TOOK CHLOROFORM IN ROOM

### Man Who Locked His Wife Out Found Unconscious.

Fred Weicher, aged 45, of 3706 Natural Bridge road, who was found unconscious in his room Thursday evening, is recovering from chloroform poisoning.

Mrs. Weicher has reported to the police that her husband visited a pharmacy late in the afternoon and purchased 15 cents' worth of laudanum and two ounces of chloroform. He also brought a pail of beer home with him. A short while after she found him in the kitchen pouring the laudanum into the beer. She snatched the bucket from him and poured the contents on the ground.

Weicher immediately went to his room, and, after locking the door, swallowed the chloroform.

## AGED MAN FOUND DROWNED

An inquest was begun Friday morning over the death of George C. Heimberger, aged 73, whose body was taken from the Mississippi river Thursday night at the foot of Victor street. It was identified at the Morgue by Philip Heimberger of 2343 Menard street, a son.

Mystery surrounds the death of Heimberger, as no one saw him around the river previous to the finfiding of the body. He was last seen Thursday afternoon by Policeman McCullough of the Second District. No marks of violence were found on the body, which had been in the water only a short time.


# The Grocer concluded to try it himself

"Now and then one runs onto an article, in the course of business which it is a positive delight to handle.

"The article not only sells itself but keeps on selling itself. The more the people buy of it, the more they want of it. It repeats and grows and spreads in sales and popularity and there is practically no limit to what it will do in creating a demand for itself. It is unnecessary for me to say that an article of merchandise has to possess great and lasting merit in order to win its way into the public favor to this extent.

"The wonderful, increasing demand for the flaked cereal food EGG-O-SEE surpasses anything of its kind that I have encountered in my experience as a grocer. It is the one cereal food that the people never tire of. They switch around on the others, but when they get onto EGG-O-SEE, they stick.

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"Everybody says it is the best cereal food on earth, and I say so too."

Peter H. Feagan,
*Sec'y Luyties Bros. Grocery Co.*

***Could you ask for any better reasons why you should give this delicious food a trial? If you are not a user of Egg-O-See, become one today.***

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**THE FOOD THEY ALL COME BACK FOR**

It is always fresh, crisp and delicious. It digests itself as soon as it comes in contact with the fluids of the stomach and there is no medicine on earth that is so beneficial to weak and ailing stomachs as this delicious, self-digesting food. EGG-O-SEE is made in the world's largest, cleanest food factory and the enormous output enables it to be sold at the very low price of 10 cents a large package. It is certainly worth this small amount to see for yourself what the most delicious and most healthful food on earth really is. Buy a package today.



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**Of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, the Great Woman's Remedy for Woman's Ills.**

No other female medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement.

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**Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.**

It will entirely cure the worst forms of Female Complaints, all Ovarian Troubles, Inflammation and Ulceration, Falling and Displacement of the Womb, and consequent Spinal Weakness, and is peculiarly adapted to the Change of Life.

It has cured more cases of Backache and Leucorrhœa than any other remedy the world has ever known. It is almost infallible in such cases. It dissolves and expels tumors from the Uterus in an early stage of development.

Irregular, Suppressed or Painful Menstruation, Weakness of the Stomach, Indigestion, Bloating, Flooding, Nervous Prostration, Headache, General Debility quickly yield to it. Womb troubles, causing pain, weight and backache, instantly relieved and permanently cured by its use. Under all circumstances it invigorates the female system, and is as harmless as water.

It quickly removes that Bearing-down Feeling, extreme lassitude, "don't care" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feeling, excitability, irritability, nervousness, Dizziness, Faintness, sleeplessness, flatulency, melancholy or the "blues" and headache. These are sure indications of Female Weakness, or some derangement of the Uterus, which this medicine always cures. Kidney Complaints and Backache, of either sex, the Vegetable Compound always cures.

Those women who refuse to accept anything else are rewarded a hundred thousand times, for they get what they want—a cure. Sold by Druggists everywhere. Refuse all substitutes.


# MANY SCHOOLBOYS CIGARETTE FIENDS

### Philadelphia Finds 20,000 Lads in Public School Are Users of "Coffin Nails."

### TOBACCO TO BE PROHIBITED

### Educators Say Those Addicted to Habit Are Nearly Always Below Class Average.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PHILADELPHIA, May 19.—The great increase in cigarette smoking among public school pupils has aroused the Board of Education to action and a special committee has been appointed to take steps to put an end to the habit. It is recognized that the task will be a difficult one, but educators declared yesterday that something must be done. The use of tobacco in cigarette form had, it was stated, taken a hold on the pupils to such an alarming extent that it must be stopped.

This, is was said, would be done by the adoption of stringent rules. It was stated that the enforcement of these rules may eventually lead to the expulsion of quite a number of pupils.

For some time past teachers and principals have been giving the matter very careful attention, but they are unable to cope with it without an order of the board. At the request of Supt. Brooks the principals have reported to him the number of boys in their schools, who, "to the best of their knowledge," use tobacco, along with their standing in their classes.

They report, Dr. Brooks states, 6076 boys of the public schools use tobacco, and that in nearly every case these boys stand below the average of their classes. "On account of the difficulty of obtaining correct data on such a subject," he adds, "I have no doubt that the actual number using tobacco is far in excess of the number reported. The reports give the statistics for the different sections of the city, and the variation of figures is something surprising and well worth studying.

"What steps should be taken to check the use of tobacco among the boys of our public schools is a question upon which it is difficult to reach a conclusion. In several states laws are being enacted prohibiting the sale or even the gift of cigarettes to minors. The object of the public schools is to educate intelligent and virtuous citizens. To do this the schools must not only train the minds of their pupils, but must also look after their physical and moral interests. Care should be taken that they do not acquire the habits that will undermine their physical constitutions, impair their intellects or weaken their moral character.

#### An Injurious Habit.

"One of the most injurious habits found among many boys in our large cities is that of cigarette smoking. It weakens the heart, injures the digestion, stunts the growth and, worst of all, vitally affects the morals of youth. This statement is proved by the testimony of physicians and by carefully prepared statistics. In the great universities all over the world it has been found that the students who do not use tobacco stand higher intellectually and morally than those who do. Both the military and the naval authorities of the United States have given the question their closest attention and no student at Annapolis or West Point is permitted to use tobacco in any form. The French Government, as the result of a prolonged inquiry, has prohibited the use of tobacco in all schools under its control.

Dr. Brooks recommends that the principals of schools be permitted to form anti-cigarette leagues among their pupils. The question will be dealt with by the committee.

Of the 82,000 boys in the public schools it was estimated yesterday that 20,000 use cigarettes. It was also said that of the 3000 students at the University of Pennsylvania more than two-thirds are cigarette smokers. A student stated that he would be constantly below the mark in placing the number of boxes of cigarettes smoked at 3000 per day. It is calculated that the pupils in the public schools use at least 10,000 boxes a day.

# YOUTHFUL HEIR IN REFORMATORY

### Boy Arrested for Robbing Slot Machines Is in Line for Large Fortune.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 19.—As a punishment for a minor offense, Charles Dunakin, 13 years old, an heir to more than $150,000, has been sent to the State Reform School under a sentence of eight years. In connection with William Felds and William Kimbrough, colored, both 13 years of age, the lad was charged with breaking open and robbing a penny-in-the-slot chewing gum machine at a grocery. Dunakin and Fields were arrested Sunday night, and Kimbrough was arrested about 1 o'clock Monday morning.

The parents of both Dunakin and Fields are wealthy, and the former lived with his mother and the latter with his father. Both have the reputation of being mischievous little fellows, but have not been charged before with any criminal offense. Mr. Fields is the assistant miller at the Lexington Rolling Mills.

Dunakin is the great-grandchild of the late Lawson Webster, from whose estate his mother inherited a handsome legacy. From her father Mrs. Dunakin inherited something over $25,000. Her son is the only heir to his father's sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Sydam, of Brooklyn, whose wealth is estimated at over $100,000. The boy carries a bank account, and has been regarded as a miniature Rockefeller by his companions. Mrs. Dunakin stated that she consented to let the boy go to the reform school on the advice of her friends. She could not control him, and she hopes that this punishment will teach him a lesson. If her plans mature, she will make an effort to take him from the Reform School this fall and put him in a school where he will be kept under strict discipline and brought up like a man.

$1 off on Manhattan Special $3.50 Oxfords for men, Saturday Special at Boehmer's.

## Struck His Landlord With Brick.

Because his landlord notified him he would have to leave, James Sullivan of near Collinsville, struck George Gruener with a brick, was arrested and fined $100 and costs, and is in jail at Belleville. Sullivan had been boarding with Gruener for several weeks. Thursday Gruener notified Sullivan that he would have to seek another boarding house. Sullivan refused to go and an argument arose, during which Sullivan picked up a brick and struck his landlord on the shoulder.

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Girls' Dresses on Third Floor

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*A Sale That is Creating a Furore in St. Louis*

This Dress $1.50 This Dress 98c This Dress 98c This Dress 25c This Dress $4.95 This Dress $1.98

**This sale is due to a purchase of 12,000 Dresses** from Gus Lurie & Co., New York, a concern recognized as the premier manufacturers of children's clothes in America.

There are 200 different models: Buster Brown Dresses; 1-piece Fancy Dresses; Sailor Blouses, Russian Blouses, Peter Thompson Dresses, Confirmation Dresses and Plain White Dresses. There is a great variety of materials, including white organdies, mulls, lawns, point d'esprit, nets, chambrays, dimities, linens, piques, percales, ginghams, etc. The variety of trimming ideas is so broad we cannot enter into description; plenty of all sizes in the lot from 6 to 14 years of age.

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Balcony, Main Floor

## A BOOK SALE

### Of Unusual Importance

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THE sale is both timely and remarkable. Timely for the reason the graduating season is at hand, and books are the best presents for such occasions. Remarkable owing to the fact we are selling them at one-fourth the list price and one-half the usual selling price.

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| Lord Byron, | Goethe, | Oliver Wendell Holmes, | Paradise Lost, |
| Robert Burns, | Goldsmith, | Rudyard Kipling, | Procter, |
| Campbell, | Hood, | Longfellow, | Rubaiyat, |
| Chaucer, | Mrs. Hemans, | Light of Asia, | Scott, |
| Coleridge, | Homer's Odyssey, | Lowell, | Schiller, |
| Cowper, | Homer's Iliad, | Lucile, | Shelley, |
| Dante, | Tennyson, | Miles Standish, | Shakespeare (complete). |

*These same poets in padded seal; full gilt edges; neatly boxed; at ............75c*

"THE MIMICS CALENDAR" for 1905—150 copies—formerly priced 45c—at.............. 20c

"THE CROSSING" by Winston Churchill—50 copies—original $1.50 edition—on sale at.......... 75c

"MEMOIRS OF A BABY" by Carolyn Wells—50 copies—$1.50 edition.............. 75c

## JUVENILE SHOE STORE ON THE BALCONY

DEPENDABLE qualities and desirable styles priced according to Grand-Leader's low standard.

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY—Babies' Strap Sandals, sizes 2 to 5, in black and tan; regular 75c values; on sale on Balcony at .......................... 25c

SPECIAL SATURDAY OFFER — Misses' and Children's patent kid, patent and kid Strap Slippers and Ribbon ties; tan, black and red; all styles; per pair..... 98c

BOYS' VICI BLUCHER OXFORDS—Best make; splendid wearing and genteel looking footwear; 3 lines; $2.50, $2.00 and............ $1.50

SUMMER FOOTWEAR FOR CHILDREN—White canvas Gibson ties, Christy ties, Ribbon Ties and Blucher Oxfords; heavy and light soles with narrow or broad toes; highest class shoes produced; sizes and widths to fit all feet; at pair, $1.50, $1.25 and........ 98c

MISSES' GOODYEAR WELT OXFORDS — Comfortable, stylish and nice appearing shoes; all styles, sizes and widths; splendid for school service—$2.50, $2.00 and..... $1.50

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Abraham—
How'd You Like to Spoon With Me?—
Farewell, Sweetheart May—
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Sylvester—
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SEALED PROPOSALS.

## PROPOSALS FOR CITY PRINTING.

Office of City Register,
City Hall,
St. Louis, May 8, 1905.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Charter and ordinances of the City of St. Louis, sealed bids will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon, and opened.

FRIDAY, MAY 19, 1905.

From the publishers of newspapers in the City of St. Louis having an uniform daily circulation of over three thousand (3000) copies, for the City Printing for one year, one published in the English language and one published in the German language.

Said bids must propose to do the printing and advertising required by law and ordinances to be done in the newspapers, including Mullanphy Relief Fund and Collector's office, at an uniform price per line.

The printing must conform to the following, viz.: Size, character and name of type, nonpareil; minimum length of line, twenty-six (26) ems; minimum width of column, thirteen (13) ems pica; character of the measurements to be employed, nonpareil.

The papers published in the English language bidding shall also state in their bid at what cost and price per page they will print two hundred (200) copies of the proceedings of the Municipal Assembly as may be published in such paper, in pamphlet form (no blank pages to be counted), and deliver same within two days after each meeting to each House of the Municipal Assembly. Also at what price per page they will print and deliver one hundred (100) copies of the proceedings of the Board of Public Improvements, as may be published in the newspaper, in pamphlet form (no blank pages to be counted); also what price per page they will print and deliver fifteen hundred (1500) copies of the ordinances as may be published in the newspapers of an uniform size suitable for binding in the customary form (no blank pages to be counted), the foregoing pamphlet work to conform in all respects to samples on file, and to be seen by bidders in this office.

Bidders will be required to deposit with the City Treasurer the sum of five hundred dollars ($500), and attach the Treasurer's receipt to each bid; also, an affidavit that the daily circulation of the paper is three thousand (3000) copies or more.

No bid will be considered in which there shall be an erasure or interlineation.

All bids must be indorsed "Proposals for City Printing."

Bids will be opened at the office of the City Register.

The City Register reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

A bond of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

The English paper receiving the contract will be required to furnish one hundred (100) copies of the daily paper and twenty slips of each advertisement made by the Register free of charge to said Register; also twenty-four (24) slips of each advertisement made by the Commissioner of Supplies free of charge to said Commissioner.

The German paper receiving the contract will be required to furnish sixty (60) copies of the daily paper free of charge to the Register.

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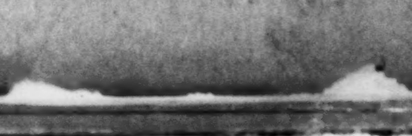


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# ARMY LIEUTENANT'S MURDERER SOUGHT

## Officers Certain Granville Chapman Was Shot by Intention at Maneuvers.

## COLONEL BAILEY WOUNDED

### Commander of Post Slightly Injured by Same Bullet Ending Subaltern's Life.

EL RENO, O. T., May 19.—Under direction of Brigadier-General F. M. Lee, a rigid investigation is in progress today into the death of Lieut. Granville Chapman, who was shot dead during the Fort Reno maneuvers yesterday.

Though the officers will not discuss the affair except among themselves, it is understood that they are pretty well satisfied that a ball cartridge was included among the blanks intentionally.

The bullet must have been fired by a member of Company E, G or H, all of which were opposing Lieut. Chapman's detachment. The Lieutenant's companies had just begun their advance when Gen. Lee inquired how they had been placed. Chapman turned to reply and as he did so the ball struck him in the back, passed completely through his body and made an abrasion on the face of Col. Bailey, who stood close by.

The rifles used were the Krag-Jorgensen and there is no difference in shape or general appearance between the blank and loaded shells. All had been carefully examined and weighed, however, and military men say they do not see how an accident could have happened.

It is hinted that there was some feeling against the Lieutenant among the men at the fort. Chapman was 30 years old. He was married and entered the army from Madison, Ind.

# IN SOCIETY

Notices of social events intended for publication in the Sunday Post-Dispatch should reach the Post-Dispatch office not later than noon of the Friday preceding.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Bradley of Washington boulevard have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mae Bradley, to Edward Beecher. Mr. Beecher is of an old St. Louis family, and is one of the leading artists of St. Louis. In accordance with the young lady's wishes, a very quiet home wedding will take place the last week in June, and it is probable that only the immediate families will be present.

### Hardee-Wishart.

The marriage of Miss Anice Wishart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wishart of Kirkwood, to Capt. William J. Hardee of New Orleans, took place Tuesday morning at the residence of Mrs. R. C. Bush, an aunt of the bride, whom she has been visiting for several months. The ceremony was performed by Rev. John C. Barr, in the presence of several intimate friends, and after partaking of a wedding breakfast, Mr. and Mrs. Hardee departed for St. Louis, and are now guests of the bride's parents. After a short Eastern trip they will reside at the St. Charles Hotel in New Orleans. Miss Wishart's wedding comes as a surprise to her Kirkwood friends, who were not aware of her engagement.

### Brown-Johnson.

The wedding of Miss Maude Margaret Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Berkley Estes Johnson, and Mr. Robert Bruce Brown, youngest son of the late B. Gratz Brown, former Governor of Missouri, took place Thursday evening in Kirkwood Presbyterian Church, Rev. Perry Jenness officiating. The color scheme was pink and white, and the decorations of both church and home were exceedingly dainty and artistic, quantities of pink sweet peas and syringa being used.

The bride was attended by Mrs. Haywood Scott of Joplin, Mo., a recent bride, at whose wedding Miss Johnson was maid of honor. Misses Blanche and Grace Johnson, young sisters of the bride, served as bridemaids. Mr. William Morgan of New York was best man. The ushers were: Messrs. Bezan Clark, Will Hough, Edward McEnnis and George Tittman.

The bridal robe was of white mousseline de sole over chiffon, made with a shirred skirt and round train, a filmy veil enveloping the entire form. She carried a bouquet of valley lilies.

The matron of honor wore her wedding gown of white batiste, embroidered in orange blossoms and trimmed with billows of valenciennes lace. She carried pink sweet peas. The young bridemaids wore frocks of pink mull and carried bouquets of pink sweet peas.

After the ceremony a reception was given the bridal party and a few intimate friends, after which Mr. and Mrs. Brown left for a trip, the destination of which they did not disclose. They will be at home after June 15 in Brooklyn, N. Y.

### Miss French Entertains.

Miss Olive French of Shenandoah avenue entertained the S. A. Y. P. Society Wednesday. The feature of the evening was a flower contest. The prizes were awarded Miss Louise Molen, G. A. Brown and W. H. Hoagland. Refreshments were served during the evening. Among those present were: Messrs. F. G. Williamson, G. A. Brown, A. Frankel, G. J. Brown, L. Hodgins, J. Reich, W. Hoagland, I. French, E. Louris, J. Dooris; Misses Mary Sutton, Louise Molen, M. Moulton, May Moulen, Ruth Moulton, Rhoda Williams, Mabel Hows, Gertie Russell, Lilliam Russell, Esther Matthews, Dora King.

Mrs. Jonathan Rice will depart next week for New York, from where she will sail for Liverpool. Mrs. Rice will spend the summer in England.

Miss Maud Scharff of Pine street, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Sauntag of New York, for the past month, has returned to her home.

Mrs. Morris Black and her son of Cleveland, O., are the guests of Mrs. Ella Schwab of Westminster place.

Mrs. Max Judge has returned home from the South and is domiciled at the Monticello Hotel.

Mrs. Mason Gould Smith has taken apartments at the Buckingham Club.

Mrs. W. H. Rothschild and daughter, Miss Mayme of 4038 Washington boulevard, left Saturday for Ohio, to be absent a month.

Mrs. Alexander Landau, accompanied by her little son and her mother, Mrs. Bertha Landecker, left for a month's stay at Eureka Springs, Ark.

Mrs. S. E. Barlow of 4366 Evans avenue is spending a few weeks in Eureka Springs, Ark.

Mrs. C. C. McCarthy is spending a vacation at Eureka Springs, Ark.

**The Colonial Cafe.**

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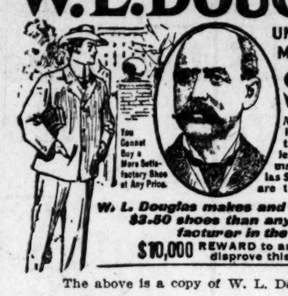


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Special to the Post-Dispatch.

GLASGOW, Mo., May 13.—A. B. Southworth has just been elected Mayor of Glasgow for his twentieth successive term. For 20 years he has shaped the destinies of Glasgow, and his election has become so much of a habit with the people that it begins to look like they'll keep it up as long as he lives. The Diaz way is popular here as far as the executive office is concerned.

Glasgow is one of the old towns of the Missouri river valley. In the days of steamboating it was the clearing house for all the up-state business. A plank road ran to Huntsville and stage lines branched out in all directions. The wharves were large and steamers frequent.

Along the levee were big tobacco and general merchandise warehouses like those which used to handle the river freight at St. Louis. When the railroads outstripped the boats Glasgow was about forgotten. Marshall, Slater, Moberly, Sedalia and Jefferson City ran away from it in commercial importance. But, of recent years, the old town is gaining ground.

It is situated in the heart of the finest wheat country in the West. It has two railroads and is going to be the headquarters for the Missouri Central electric line, a project instituted by home capitalists.

Under Mayor Southworth's administration, waterworks have been constructed, many factories established, a good lighting plant put up and many metropolitan improvements successfully placed in operation. Besides, its local college, Pritchett Institute, has thrived with its years.

Mayor Southworth is 64 years old, but doesn't look much over 40. His father, Dr. J. W. Southworth, was one of the founders of Glasgow. He settled at Chariton, a mile further up the river, in the early '40s. Things had just begun to look prosperous when a flood came and the settlement went down with it. The doctor went West, but returned to Missouri in 1845, and secured one of the four log cabins then constituting Glasgow. This time the townsite was located on top of the bluffs, where no flood could reach it. Dr. Southworth was in the United States service as a physician during the Civil War. He was killed while trying to save a child in a runaway accident at Glasgow in 1867.

So the retention of the son as Mayor for so long a time is for reasons of sentiment as well as business. Everybody loved the old physician. The son enjoys the same degree of confidence. Several times, grown weary of honors, he has tried to shake off the mantle of official responsibility. After 10 years' consecutive service, he "ran away." That is, he went out to Oklahoma with a view to locating. A stiff municipal fight developed as election day approached.

The citizens who feared the result of a new administration, begged the wanderer to return. Not he; he had his liberty and he was going to keep it. Then his friends wrote him that the "other fellows" had put up a man who said he could beat Southworth in a walk. That was intolerable. The ex-Mayor came back on the run to show 'em. He got into the campaign a little late, but "he was all there," and when the battle was over he had entered upon his eleventh year as mayor.

"If I had saved up all my salary for the whole 20 years I wouldn't be very wealthy," Mayor Southworth said today, "but that should cut no figure in municipal affairs. A man should do the very best he can for his town, even if he has to pay for the privilege. It's honor enough to be in a position where your efforts may be of benefit to your people, and such efforts are always appreciated. We think we have a model town. I venture the statement that there is less drunkenness and disturbance in Glasgow than any town of its size in the state. This is because of a wholesome public sentiment, and a loyal support of the officers in the enforcement of their duty. Going to keep on running? Well, I can't say yet. Our people may choose to round out the record to an even 25 years. If they do—well, they're the sovereigns."

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# FEARS FOR STRICKEN FATHER

## John Guntly Cables to Rome to Learn of Parent Who Suffered Apoplectic Stroke.

The condition of Edward Guntly of St. Louis, who was stricken with apoplexy in Rome while in an anteroom waiting for an audience with Pope Pius X, as told in late editions of Thursday's Post-Dispatch, has not yet been learned by his sons and daughters in St. Louis.

His older son, John Guntly, assistant cashier of the American Brewing Association at 2731 South Broadway, sent a cablegram Friday morning to Mgr. Bisleti, Master of Chambers at the Vatican, asking for information of his father's condition.

The fact that no reply had been received at noon leads Mr. Guntly to fear for the welfare of his father.

Edward Guntly, who is an extensive property owner in South St. Louis, is a director of the American Brewing Association. He is 61 years of age. A month ago he went to Europe, accompanied by his wife, and in the course of their travels, being Catholics, they sought an audience with the Pope. It had been granted, apparently, and they were waiting to be admitted when Mr. Guntly was stricken.

Mrs. K. Rieth and Mrs. B. Frank, both of whom reside in South St. Louis, are daughters of the couple. The other son, Edward Guntly Jr., is a student at the Rolla School of Mines.

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## RAILWAY AND PULLMAN WIN

### Texas Suprem Court Decides That Contract Is Valid.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
AUSTIN, Tex., May 19.—The State Supreme Court decided in the anti-trust case against the Fort Worth & Denver and the Pullman companies that an exclusive contract between the two companies for the operation of sleeping cars over the railroad is not in violation of the anti-trust act of this state. The court says that such a contract was not in restraint of trade, and that it is of benefit to the public instead of an injury. There are 48 similar suits against other railroad companies and the Pullman company pending in the District court here. They will be dismissed.

To find employment by Monday advertise in the next Sunday Post-Dispatch Want Directory.

## Englemann Botanical Outing.

The Engelmann Botanical Club will hold its second field meet of the season at Montesano, Mo., Saturday, May 20. The party will go with the St. Louis Congregational churches and Sunday school excursion by steamer City of Providence, leaving foot of Olive street at 8:30 a. m., returning to the city at 6 p. m.

## Found Suffering From Chloroform

Miss Laura Hoolihan, 25 years old, was taken to the City Hospital Friday morning from 8 South Twenty-second street, suffering from the effects of chloroform. About 1:30 o'clock the attention of Don Stradley, son of the woman from whom Miss Hoolihan rented a room, to the sound of heavy breathing coming from her room. She was found with a handkerchief saturated with chloroform over her face. She may recover.


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### Through Its Matchless Service It Could Become Vigorous Competitor for Public's Business, but Lines Were Built for Its Use Only.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
CHANUTE, Kan., May 18.—In addition to its unrivaled business system, which enables it to maintain absolute secrecy in all its dealings, the Standard Oil Co. has in service more than 30,000 miles of private telegraph wire in the United States.

Its wires follow the trust's pipe lines and the man at the pumping station in Caney orBartlesville or Cleveland, O. T., or Chanute, can sit at his table and get his orders direct from the big building at 26 Broadway.

The message does not pass through the hands of a single Western Union or Postal operator. Every hand that touches it is a Standard Oil hand; every key which clicks it off is a Standard Oil key and every wire which carries it is a Standard Oil wire.

That is why there are so few leaks in things concerning the Standard. It trusts its own employes implicitly. It will not hire a man it cannot trust; but it trusts nobody else in the handling of its business.

The trust has four wires from Chicago to New York. There are wires from the big refinery at Bayonne, N. J., to New York, and there are wires from all the Pennsylvania towns, such as Titusville, Bradford, Pittsburg and Harrisburg, to New York.

There are also wires to and from Cleveland, O., Lima, Findley and all the Ohio oil and gas towns. There are two wires from Kansas City to Chicago and one wire from Kansas City south through Humboldt, Chanute, Cherryvale, Independence, Coffeyville, Caney, Peru, Sedan, Bartlesville, Muskogee and Cleveland, O. T. Wherever the Standard builds a pipe line the wire goes. When it established a pumping station in Paola, Kan., a short time ago the telegraph wire began ticking when the pumps began chugging. When the pipe line reached Cleveland the wire was there to tell about it.

All cities of any consequence east of the Mississippi are reached by the trust's wires, and the system is spreading into the West. A superintendent in charge of offices for one of the largest commercial telegraph companies was speculating a few days ago what would happen if the Oil Trust should decide to become a competitor of the Western Union or Postal company. He said:

"The Standard has more than one thousand offices of its own already working, and its operators are all of the highest class. Whenever you find a Standard operator you find a crackerjack. It does not hire any other kind.

This Standard system has enabled the Standard in the past, and enables it now, to transmit correspondence almost solely by wire when the occasion demands, and keep the contents of the messages as close as if they went by mail. It is the secrecy which makes every movement of the Standard a mystery. No Standard employe ever tells. He reports promptly, however, and frequently a conversation on the streets of Chanute at night is on the desk of the head of the proper department in New York before breakfast the next morning.

The Standard is generous to employes with the use of its wires. Recently one of the pipe-line gang, working in the southern end of a Western State, was injured. He had the free use of the wire back to his home in Ohio to tell the family what had happened, and their reply was carried free.

The operators in the Kansas territory field are nearly all from Pennsylvania, and at night, after the day's work is ended, they "jolly" their friends at home.

The telegraph service is conducted so quietly that not one in ten persons, even in the oil fields, knows how extensive it is. The line does not follow the railroad right-of-way, but the right-of-way of the pipe lines.

## INDIANAPOLIS AFTER PAUL JONES' BONES

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 18.—As many cities are seeking the honor of being the burial place of Paul Jones' bones, Indianapolis also puts in a claim.

It is based upon the fact that more of his near kin have lived or are living in this city and state than in his own native Scotland, and that among these kinsfolk are two names great in the history of the state and the nation.

The sister of John Paul Jones was the mother of David Wallace, one of the early governors of Indiana, who represented the Central district of Indiana in Congress with great ability. Gov. Wallace was one of seven brothers, and the descendants of the sister of Paul Jones now living in Indiana and scattered over the United States are said to number more than 250. Gov. David Wallace had several sons and daughters, one of the sons being the late William Wallace, postmaster of Indianapolis during President Harrison's term, and another, Gen. Lew Wallace, the author of "Ben-Hur."

Gov. David Wallace's ancestry was Scotch on his father's as well as his mother's side. He was born in Mifflin County, Pennsylvania, July 24, 1799. A number of descendants of his brothers live in Marion and other towns in Northern Indiana. Of this branch of the family Dr. Lew Wallace of this city is a member, while Lew Wallace, the lawyer, and Henry Wallace, son of Gen. Lew Wallace, are grandsons of Gov. David Wallace.

The present intention is to bury Jones' bones at the Naval Academy, at Annapolis, where his grave will serve as an inspiration to the youth who are being trained to command our warships.


GENTLEMEN
YOUR ATTENTION
Tomorrow, SATURDAY

Bohm Bros., men's furnishings, Thirteenth street and Washington avenue, retiring from business, sold at auction their entire stock. Our large reserve purchase of the best lots of fine garments—21 large transfer wagonloads, hundreds of dozens of the most seasonable goods—is on our counters priced to sell quickly.

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Men's French Balbriggan Shirts or Drawers, all sizes, worth 50c—Sale Price..... 25c

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Men's very fine Honeycomb Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers—all sizes, worth 75c—Sale Price..... 39c

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Men's fine white madras cloth, pleated bosoms; lot fancy novelty madras cloth, lot fine madras cuffs attached—choice for..... 35c

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Men's fine madras cloth Shirts, cuffs attached, or 1 pair extra cuffs, fancy French madras bosoms, white bodies; also lot of fine fancy Night Shirts—choice.. 49c

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Gents' fancy plaited bosoms, fine white madras; detached cuffs, very fine madras, fancy bosoms; all high-grade goods; worth up to $1.25—choice for (each)..... 59c

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Bohm Bros.' stock of fine 25c lace trimmed Vests—for..... 10c
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Bohm Bros.' stock 50c imported black and fancy Hose—for..... 19c
Bohm Bros.' stock 50c fine lisle thread Vests—for..... 25c
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Hyomei is a scientific method by which pure air impregnated with nature's own remedies for the cure of catarrh, can be inhaled by every sufferer in his or her home. Breathed through the neat pocket inhaler that comes with every outfit, its healing, volatile, antiseptic fragrance reaches the lungs and air passages as no stomach dosing possibly can do. It gives immediate relief and makes lasting cures.

Proof that the Hyomei treatment will do all that is claimed for it is found in the guarantee under which Judge & Dolph and the Wolff-Wilson Drug Co. sell it, an agreement to pay back the price, if the purchaser can say that Hyomei has not given satisfaction. Complete outfit for $1.00; extra bottles, 50c.


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GAS for lighting, cooking and heating has been introduced into practically every building erected in St. Louis during the past two years, and up to the present date.

GAS is the only progressive, modern and economical method available for illuminating, cooking and heating.

The city has issued building permits as follows:

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| 1903 | 4802 |
| 1904 | 5960 |
| 1905 (4 months) | 2490 |
| Total | 13,252 |

Estimated valuation $8,270,430.00.

The expenditure of over eight million dollars by the people demands the best, the cleanest and the cheapest product invented. This product is GAS—everybody should use it.

During the same period 27,486 gas meters have been installed in NEW buildings.

The number of NEW supply pipes from our mains to consumers' residences and other buildings were for

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| 1903 | 8213 |
| 1904 | 7462 |
| 1905 (4 months) | 1616 |
| Total | 17,291 |

In the majority of new structures, both fuel and lighting gas have been adopted, necessitating two or more meters and additional pipe supply service.

*Illustrated Lectures on Cooking by Gas Each Day This Week at 2:30 and 7:30 P. M. at the Following Locations:*
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# METCALF TO RETIRE FROM THE CABINET

## Will Leave About Same Time as Morton—Hay and Moody to Remain in Position.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Victor Metcalf, secretary of commerce and labor, is to retire and engage in business in California. He has not yet determined upon the time. Mr. Metcalf has not found his position congenial. When he took the secretaryship he determined not to return to Congress, hence his resolve to enter business life is not surprising.

Secretary Morton will retire Sept. 1, and Mr. Metcalf, it is believed, will leave about the same time. The President has not yet given the slightest hint as to whom he will place at the head of the navy department, and he has not had time to consider the successor to Secretary Metcalf.

Reports from Secretary Hay indicate that he has changed his mind about resigning. When he went away he was of the opinion that he would not resume charge of the state department for more than a few weeks at the most. In fact, he wanted to resign then, but the President snorted at his scruples, telling him there was probably no man in the country whom the American people would prefer to see take a good long vacation at their expense. Mr. Hay was very sensitive on this point, believing that so long as he drew the pay he ought to be rendering an equivalent.

Attorney-General Moody appears to have forgotten his longing for private life. The talk of his retirement was strong while there appeared to be a chance for him to succeed the late Senator Hoar, but when Senator Crane was appointed, the Attorney-General's desire to retire apparently disappeared.

### Gardner and Stift to Fight.

OGDEN, Utah, May 19.—George Gardner of Lowell, Mass., and Billy Stift of Chicago have been matched to fight here May 29.


GREAT CHANGE

From Change in Food.

The brain depends much more on the stomach than we are apt to suppose until we take thought in the matter. Feed the stomach on proper food easy to digest and containing the proper amount of phosphates and the healthy brain will respond to all demands. A notable housewife in Buffalo writes:

"The doctor diagnosed my trouble as a 'nervous affection of the stomach.' I was actually so nervous that I could not sit still for five minutes to read the newspaper, and to attend to my household duties was simply impossible. I doctored all the time with remedies, but medicine did no good.

"My physician put me on all sorts of diet, and I tried many kinds of cereal foods, but none of them agreed with me. I was almost discouraged, and when I tried Grape-Nuts I did so with many misgivings—I had no faith that it would succeed where everything else had failed.

"But it did succeed, and you don't know how glad I am that I tried it. I feel like a new person. I have gained in weight and I don't have that terrible burning sensation in my stomach any more. I feel so strong again that I am surprised at myself. The street noises that used to irritate me so, I never notice now, and my mind is so clear that my household duties are a real pleasure."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason.

Now why was this great change made in this woman?

The stomach and the brain had not been supplied with the right kind of food to rebuild and strengthen the nerve centers in these organs. It is absolute folly to try to do this with medicine. There is but one sure way and that is to quit the old food that has failed and take on Grape-Nuts food, which is more than half digested in the process of manufacture and is rich in the phosphate of potash contained in the natural grain, which unites with albumen and water—the only three substances that will make up the soft gray filling in the thousands of delicate nerve centers in the brain and body. Grape-Nuts food is a sure road back to health in all such cases.



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# HOGS MUST TAKE THEIR FEET OUT OF THE TROUGH

## Straight Tip From President That This Is His Sentiment on Attitude of Protectionists Toward His Panama Canal Policy.

## TO MAKE CONGRESS ACT ON TARIFF'S REVISION.

## Standpatters Admit He Has Given Them a Bitter Dose and Revenged Himself—Speaker Cannon Glum and Noncommittal.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 19.—The following extracts from a Washington dispatch are printed in the most prominent place in the New York Tribune. Mr. Whitelaw Reid, for many years editor and proprietor of the Tribune, now ambassador to Great Britain, dined and slept at the White House as the guest of President Roosevelt the night before the dispatch was written:

"Washington, May 17.—President Roosevelt insists on the 'most favored nation clause' for the United States, and the manufacturers of the country will have to accord that treatment to the Government in so far as purchases made for the Panama canal are concerned—at least until Congress can pass a law compelling the commission to pay domestic prices for supplies.

"The vehement and numerous protests of disappointed manufacturers and indignant 'stand-patters'—even those within the cabinet—are not having the slightest effect on the President, unless, possibly, it be to satisfy him that the policy on which he and Secretary Taft have determined is so stirring up the tariff question as to insure extended consideration of the recommendations for readjustment which he purposes to embody in his message to Congress next fall.

"'The President is resolved to bring the trust magnates to a realization of their debt to the people of this country,' said a close friend of the President in commenting on the situation today, 'and will accomplish that result even at the risk of bringing a storm about his ears. He wishes to make Congress act on the tariff question, and the sooner they take action the better he will like it. There will be very few supplies, relatively speaking, purchased by the canal commission between now and the time Congress meets. The President hopes, however, that enough will be bought to serve as an object lesson to the country on the subject on hand. For instance, he believes it is little short of criminal for the big manufacturers to charge the home consumers a third more or double the price for goods than is charged the people of Europe.'

"The high protection gentlemen will probably cry out loudly over what they term an 'outrage perpetrated on the American workman,' but the people at large will understand who is perpetrating that outrage. It is the man who is selling the product of their labor for twice what it is worth here at home and still making good profits on the sales abroad. The President expects to receive calls from a great many protesting magnates of the party before this thing is settled, but you may accept it as a 'straight tip' that he will not recede one inch from his stand. To sum up the President's sentiments in the case, he is determined that the 'hogs shall take their feet out of the trough' and he demands that the United States government when it becomes a purchaser of goods, shall be treated as the 'most favored nation.'"

### Standpatters Splitting Hairs.

Secretary Shaw and other standpat members of the cabinet are very busily engaged splitting hairs. They earnestly desire to create the impression that they are not objecting to the action of the President and Secretary Taft in deciding to buy canal supplies in the cheapest market. What they object to, they insist, is the assertion that the determination amounts to a policy of the Republican administration of which they form a part.

They assert with much vigor that it is not the policy of the administration, but merely the determination of the President and Mr. Taft to deal with an exceptional case, one made exceptional by the failure of Congress to insert the usual clause limiting the discretion of the executive officers charged with the execution of the law, to the purchase of supplies made in America.

Representative Dalzell will probably offer a resolution as soon as the session of Congress is begun, expressing it as the sense of Congress that the canal should be built with American material. An opportunity for an expression on this very subject was side-stepped by Congress at its last session.

While this finely drawn view may be that of Mr. Shaw and associates, the impression is gradually seeping into the minds of other high tariff statesmen that President Roosevelt, biding his time, has wreaked a picturesque revenge upon them for the brusque rejection by them of his tariff revision plans in the last Congress.

These high-tariff statesmen are rubbing themselves rather ruefully today. They say there is no question that they gave the President a pretty hard jolt last session over his tariff revision proposition. They made it as hard and as vigorous as they could in the hope, as they said, that "it might hold him for awhile." The President winced, but "took his medicine."

"But the dose he has given us now," said a high-tariff senator today, "is wormwood and gall and Spanish-fly plaster combined, compared to what we administered to him."

These high-tariff statesmen go on to say that they are convinced that while the motive of the President may not have been revenge, his main object was to promote the campaign for tariff revision in which he was frustrated last year.

The stand-patters do not conceal their fear that the President may make a decided hit with the people at large. They say that at first blush the proposition is likely to prove attractive to the masses. It is a slap in the face for the trusts and it is in support of the supposedly popular demand for tariff revision.

Speaker Cannon, who was one of the leaders in the movement in the last Congress which prevented tinkering with the tariff, has come to town. Being pressed by the correspondents for an expression he confined himself by saying that undoubtedly the President has plenary power to administer the canal affairs, and that until Congress meets he can do as he

# LA FOLLETTE WINS RATE BILL FIGHT

## Wisconsin Senate Passes Measure and Governor Can Now Accept Senatorial Toga.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MADISON, Wis., May 19.—Gov. R. M. La Follette won the most notable victory in his political life last night when the upper house of the Legislature, by an unanimous vote and under the suspension of the rules, passed his railroad rate commission bill. Though the bill has yet to go through the lower house, it is as well as passed, as that body is absolutely controlled by the Governor.

For four years La Follette has fought for a rate commission. His victory pleases him beyond expression. The action of the Senate came after a fight that lasted all day and evening. The opponents of the Government offered amendment after amendment, but each was voted down in turn until the opposition, seeing it was futile to fight any further, gracefully surrendered. Every senator present, 31 of the 33, voted for it.

The Legislature will adjourn in two weeks and the Governor will then resign and begin his lecturing tour, which will last all summer, he having a hundred engagement at Chautauqua and other places. On July 4 he will speak at Nebraska City with William J. Bryan.

When Congress convenes next December he will qualify as United States senator to succeed J. V. Quarles.

The bill just passed provides for a State Railroad Commission of three members, appointed by the Governor and who shall have the power to fix and regulate rates on all railroad traffic within the State. The bill is regarded as the most stringent ever passed by a Legislature.

The Governor had said that if his bill were not passed he would refuse the senatorship and fight the rate question all over again.

## LEE ASKS CHANGE OF VENUE

### Former Lieutenant Governor, Charged With Forgery, Gives Notice.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON City, Mo., May 19.—Sheriff G. A. Smith of this county, today served notice on Attorney General Hadley and Prosecuting Attorney M. P. Belch that former Lieutenant Governor Jno. A. Lee, charged with perjury, would ask for a change of venue.

The application will be made to Judge Martin, when the court meets Monday morning.

The bribery cases of Senators Farris and Smith are also set for trial here next Monday. It is likely that these two cases will be tried when they are called Monday.

## ATE HIS HAT AND DIED

### James Clark Falls a Victim to a Strange Freak of His Appetite.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

COLUMBUS, O., May 19.—James Clark died at the County Infirmary as the result of eating his hat. While drunk last Sunday he devoured his derby hat.

# GOVERNOR VETOES THE LEVEE BILL

## Trautman's Proposed Measure Fails for Lack of Deneen's Signature.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 19.—Of the 20 bills passed by the Forty-fourth General Assembly of Illinois and vetoed by Gov. Deneen, one of the most important was Trautman's proposed measure authorizing the formation of a levee district, with the object of constructing a levee from Alton to East St. Louis to protect the country from the Mississippi overflow.

The Governor's objection to the bill was that it was too loosely drawn and gave too much power to the units of organization, which would have the right to construct the levees.

Of the 235 bills passed by the Legislature, 20 were vetoed, 6 were permitted to become laws without the Governor's signature and the remainder were signed.

Among the bills signed was the Senate measure lengthening the terms of the Mayor and Aldermen of Chicago from two to four years, and the primary election law, which provides for the nomination of Governor, Congressman, members of State Board of Equalization, members of Legislature and county and city officers by a direct primary vote of the people and for an expression on the choice of United States Senators by the same methods.

# SYRETT, MISSING, IS INDICTED

## Greenwood Real Estate Agent Charged With Forging Indorsement to Check for $660.

In an indictment issued Thursday evening at the request of the Detective Department, Alfred W. Syrett, missing Greenwood real estate man, is charged with forging the indorsement of R. H. Stockton to a check for $660.64, and cashing it. It is stated that this check did not figure in Syrett's alleged real estate irregularities.

It was said, when the indictment was returned, that Syrett had been located, and that the indictment was for the purpose of securing his arrest. Chief of Detectives Desmond said Friday that he only knew Syrett was somewhere in the East; he did not know at what place, and did not know that there was a probability of his early arrest.

The indictment charges that Syrett secured the check, which was drawn by Henry J. Teckemeyer of 2633 Franklin avenue in favor of R. H. Stockton of 2614 Morgan street, forged Stockton's indorsement on the back, and Sept. 14, last, cashed it at the Missouri Trust Co., C. C. Collier, a teller, paying the money on it. The names of Teckemeyer, Stockton, Collier, E. H. Benoist of 201 North Fourth street, and William E. Berger of the Jefferson Bank, appear on the indictment as witnesses.

# HUSBAND'S LOVE IS WORTH $400

## Mrs. Lettie Klein Awarded That Amount Against Mother-in-Law for Alienation.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 19.—Mrs. Lettie Maybelle Klein, who sued her parents-in-law, Mrs. Ida B. and John A. Klein, for $50,000 damages, for alienating the affections of her husband, Garnett Roselle Klein, was given a verdict of $400 against the mother-in-law by a jury in Judge O'Dougherty's court, while the case was dismissed against Mr. Klein.

Evidence tended to show that she was compelled to eat her meals by herself; that she was refused ice cream, and was otherwise mistreated.

### Wagon Wheel Cuts Off Boy's Ear.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BRISTOL, Pa., May 19.—Frank Gimbo, a boy, had his ear cut close off, just as if a knife had done it, by striking the wheel of a heavy ice wagon, while on his bicycle.


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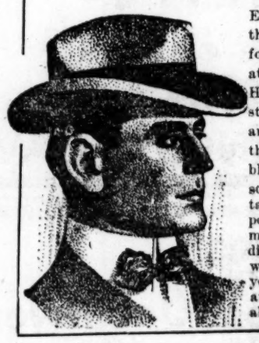

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# *E. B. Pope, a St. Louis Railroad Man Who Holds That Shakspeare Is Out of Date, Will Step Into the Breach With a Play of His Own*

Scene from E. B. Pope's Play, "July Wheat." Left to Right—Joseph R. Weiss as Mercutio Smythe, H. W. Amack as Sociates Parker and Blanche Walton as Violet Banks Smythe.

The curse which Shakspeare bespoke for any who should refuse to let him rest in peace has not intimidated George Bernard Shaw, the Irish wit and playwright, nor E. B. Pope, city passenger agent of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad in St. Louis.

Mr. Shaw declares that Shakspeare was no such great shakes as we had supposed, and that some things written by the Bard of Avon are not up to some other things written by George Barnard Shaw.

This hath the seeming of insolence, but it is a grander thing—courage.

And George B. Shaw isn't the only intrepid soul extant. No, indeed! There is Mr. Pope. Or, rather, here is Mr. Pope—right here in St. Louis.

Mr. Pope's indictment of Shakspeare is not so severe as is that of the supposably witty Shaw, but it is quite as courageous. Also it is more chronological than literary.

Mr. Pope avers that Shakspeare's plays, like eggs of yesterday, are not for today, being, in brief, rotten. (Like the eggs). Mr. Pope condemns them for flagrant untimeliness, and says what we want is plays reflecting our own times and grubbed out of our own fields of endeavor.

Mr. Pope has made more than a mere threat to remedy this evil. He has made a play. It is entitled "July Wheat." It was "tried on the dog" at Webster, a St. Louis suburb (you've probably heard of it in reading of travels), three weeks ago, and it will be brought out into full publicity Monday night, May 22, when the St. Louis Sketch Club will present it at the Grand Opera House. All the railroad people of St. Louis will attend, and doubtless many of the Shakspearean defenders will be there, though these, of course, will not make their presence known unless opportunity offers for them to rise in triumph and deride Mr. Pope. If the play is a success they will just quietly sneak out.

The St. Louis Sketch Club is an institution in good and somewhat glorious theatrical standing. It has graduated a number of amateurs who are now upon the professional stage. It has some very capable people in its membership, and is disposed to give Mr. Pope the advantage of whatever good acting can come of careful preparation. The presentation of "July Wheat" at the Grand will be an event. Maybe it will separate the wheat from the chaff to the extent of inducing self-deposed "Wheat King" Spencer to return to his throne.

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The Delmar Garden Musical Comedy Company chorus has been organized and rehearsals are progressing. A number of local performers are joining the stock companies at the gardens.

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There is considerable agitation in the Shubert ranks over what they term a bold lift of the swing feature which was so much enjoyed here during the engagement of "The Earl and the Girl." Sam Bernard and Hattie Williams have just begun a summer engagement at the Empire Theater, New York, in "The Rollicking Girl," and a swing song is the hit of the piece. The Shuberts call it a deliberate duplication of the innovation in "The Earl and the Girl." This latter production, by the way, is running in Boston now. It was just a little to classy and tony for the mass of musical piece patrons in St. Louis, and did not do much of a business here. It is a rather sad commentary upon our taste that "Piff, Paff, Pouf" did a bigger business while the two productions were in competion here, though there was no comparison between them. "Piff, Paff, Pouf" has caught on in Chicago, and promises to run there indefinitely. Chicago is about the easiest pleased of all the big cities. It was Chicago that gave "The Royal Chef" its undeserved vogue and which has within the last few seasons gone in enthusiastically for a number of musical productions which fell dead the moment they ventured beyond the Chicago city limits.

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Dr. P. T. Cunningham, a St. Louis professional man, who is an enthusiastic student of the drama and an amateur player of note, has organized a company which will produce one of the doctor's own dramas at the Olympic Theater next Wednesday night. It is "Robert Emmet." It is Dr. Cunningham's own dramatization of the eventful life of the Irish patriot, and it will be given one of the most pretentious productions ever given a semi-professional production of this sort in St. Louis. Dr. Cunningham has had the assistance of Prof. McDowell in rehearsing the company, and has sent to New York for some of his scenery. He will himself play the title part, and he will be assisted by a company of 50, many of whom have had considerable experience upon the stage.

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Nat Goodwin, always sensitive to criticisms of his productions, has gone to the length of writing a letter to a Minneapolis paper whose critic took exceptions to "The Usurper." Mr. Goodwin contended in the letter that, inasmuch as he had played the part to the entire satisfaction of the author, he failed to understand by what reasoning the critic elected himself a power beyond the author and himself. That is a prize winner—that point about pleasing the author, who was doubtless so gratified that such an eminent comedian as Goodwin should have accepted such an ordinary play as "The Usurper" that an objection to the manner in which Mr. Goodwin played it was certainly the very last thing the author would have interposed.

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Leila McIntyre, who shared the honors with Joe Cawthorne when "Mother Goose" was first here, is the mother of a little daughter born last week.

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W. A. Brady is advertising the Boer War at Coney Island as the original St. Louis production, which is doubtless the first time that New York has made any such admission in favor of St. Louis.

## RIVER PIRATES HAVE BATTLE

NEW YORK, May 19.—A battle with pistols between a squad of harbor police and a band of river pirates last night resulted in the capture of the latter and the recovery of goods valued at $1000.

In answer to an alarm from a railroad pier on the North river, six officers hurried there in a launch. As they approached an open boat fitted with an engine shot out of the darkness and headed full speed across the river.

The police commanded a halt, but the two pirates crowded on power and dropped into the bottom of their craft. Taking up the chase the police opened fire, which drew an instant response. The thieves were not good marksmen, while their boat was being struck nearly every shot, and after a short chase they surrendered.

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# WEDS AGAINST WILL; A TRAGEDY RESULTS

## Whitehead Shoots Daughter and Son-in-Law, Kills Latter's Mother, Attempts Suicide.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

DURANT, I. T., May 19.—Mrs. E. A. Terrill dead, Robert, her son, and his wife, Balma, badly wounded, the latter perhaps fatally, and the attempted suicide of B. W. Whitehead, father of young Mrs. Terrill, is the result of the marriage of Whitehead's daughter to young Terrill against the father's will.

After the wedding, instead of the usual parental forgiveness, fierce quarrels and threats were indulged in. Whitehead's conduct became so threatening that young Terrill and his wife and mother came to this place to swear to information for a peace bond against him.

The latter learned of their intention and lay in wait for them as they returned home. When they were within a few yards of his ambush he opened fire on them with a shotgun. At the first shot the elder Mrs. Terrill was killed. Robert Terrill was badly wounded in the shoulder and arm, but managed to get his revolver out and return Whitehead's fire. Meantime the horses started to run and, firing one more shot, Whitehead disappeared.

At the last shot young Mrs. Terrill was struck by eleven buckshot in the shoulder, arm and side. Notwithstanding she drove the team to their home, while the husband held the dead body of his mother with his unwounded arm.

Officers who went to the scene later found Whitehead badly wounded in the abdomen, having attempted to commit suicide. He had written a card in which he had stated his intention of killing the Terrills and then ending his own life and so admitted. He is under arrest.

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# TAFT WANTS ORAL TESTIMONY

## Has Summoned Witnesses in the Venezuelan Scandal.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Secretary Taft decided that he needs oral testimony about the facts in the Loomis-Bowen scandal, and he wired a number of men to come here as soon as convenient. It is the impression that officers of the Asphalt Trust are among them. If they make oath to the story they have told about the $10,000 check, that incident will be closed, without the acceptance of any evidence from the Venezuelans who pretend to know about it.

### Robbed of Watch and Chain.

Mrs. M. Kinder of 2819 La Salle street reported to the police Friday that while she was absent for a few moments Thursday evening from the laundry office at 2241 Chouteau avenue, at a telephone across the street, a chatelaine bag containing a gold watch and chain was stolen from the laundry office.

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By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

New York, May 18.—The experiments begun several months ago in the tenement districts to demonstrate the possibility of curing consumption without the use of drugs, patent medicines or stimulants, but by the simple method of inhalation and the observance of the ordinary rules of hygiene, have apparently resulted so successfully that the physician under whose auspices the tests have been conducted has decided to make public the system employed. The experiments were primarily undertaken with a view to proving that the disease could be treated as effectively in the city as in more favorable climates.

Several hundred cases were selected from those officially pronounced to be tuberculosis. These were watched with great care by a number of well-known physicians. The tests were under the general direction of Dr. Oscar M. Leiser of No. 243 West Forty-fourth street. Dr. Leiser announced when the experiments were inaugurated that if the results justified it he would make public the details of the process and the formula used. This he has given to The World for publication upon the advice of other physicians and philanthropists who were associated with him in the undertaking.

He makes no claim that the method is his own, but frankly gives the credit for its discovery to a western chemist, who, having cured himself of consumption, has encouraged its use among other unfortunates with remarkable success. Many hundreds of cases have been cured by the method in other climates, but the efficacy of it was not considered thoroughly established until tested in New York City under the most adverse conditions.

Speaking of the experiments yesterday and in describing the new formula, Dr. Leiser said last night:

"The experiments which were inaugurated several months ago have been contiued with a great deal more success than was anticipated. Of the 50 patients now under treatment, 33 have practically been cured, or have been relieved to such an extent from the presence of the tuberculosis bacilli that those of us who have been watching the experiments believe that the method has yielded the most satisfactory results. The cases upon which the tests were made were taken from those in which official examinations of the sputum had disclosed the presence of the tuberculosis bacilli. All of these cases were located in tenements and amid the most unfavorable sanitary surroundings, our purpose being to demonstrate the efficacy of the method in such places and not in those where climatic conditions were more propitious.

### Poor Patients Benefited.

"We confined our experiments to the poorer classes of patients, believing that if our theory was correct we should be rendering a greater service to the victims of tuberculosis than by attempting to assist nature in her most favorable moods.

"The results of our efforts, covering a year and conducted with as little public discussion as possible, have been sufficient to convince us that the method will prove as effective here in New York as it would in the higher altitudes now sought by victims of this disease. I could tell you of several cases which, when first experimented on, were far advanced and are now, to all intents and purposes, greatly improved. One man in a tenement, for instance, was confined to his bed. He has since returned to his work.

"The greatest difficulty has been to get the patients to take the treatment regularly and to observe the hygienic requirements essential to its success.

### Treatment Is Simple.

"The treatment is a simple one. It is not new except in its complete form. Every physician knows of it in a way. It is one of inhalation and consists of a mixture of oil of pine needle, oil of gaulterine, oil of eucalyptus and hydro-carbon oil, which is prepared in an elaborate electrical process, the result giving rise to an absolutely new medication, which proves destructive to the tubercle bacilli. This medication is inhaled through an apparatus which forces the medicament through a filtering solution, and is inhaled directly into the lungs.

"The question of any vapor being able to reach the small air spaces of the lung has been a mooted one among practitioners who have made a specialty of treating tuberculosis for many years, but inasmuch as the cases recently experimented on have shown such marked improvement there can be, to my mind, no question as to the ability of the medicament to reach the afflicted or diseased area of the lung. In cases where the environment was more favorable than in the tenment districts the improvement has been much more rapid and thorough.

### It Has Been an Up-Hill Fight.

"There have been so many so-called cures for tuberculosis foisted on the public that it has been an uphill fight to keep the patients on the treatment. To do so, believing the method to be effective, I have sought the hearty co-operation of members of the medical profession, and with them have studied the subject most exhaustively with particular reference to each individual case. When the results seemed to justify it, I decided to make known the formula for the benefit of all physicians and for victims of consumption. The process of using the mixture originated with C. P. Benson, a western chemist, some years ago, as a matter of self-preservation. It cured him of consumption, and the credit for improving the conditions of and curing many unfortunates is properly his.

### May Start Sanitarium.

"Some influential gentlemen of this city who have watched and assisted in the experiments made by myself and other physicians are considering the advisability of starting a sanitarium where the inhalation treatment will be employed, and where the patients can be kept under absolute control. Of one thing we are convinced, and that is that tuberculosis can be treated as effectively and successfully here in New York as in any other part of the world where climatic conditions might seem more favorable.

"Until the plans for the future are more fully developed I do not care to say any more. The experiments already begun will be continued. I regret that I cannot give you the names of some of the gentlemen who have so generously assisted us and made possible the success already realized. But by their express request I am prohibited from doing so."

$1 off on Manhattan Special $3.50 Oxfords for men, Saturday Special at Boehmer's.

# WANT TEACHING ENDOWMENT

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BOSTON, May 19.—President Roosevelt, Bishop Lawrence and other Harvard graduates, have issued an appeal to graduates for an endowment of at least $2,000,000 before next commencement, "to increase the present totally inadequate amount available for the salaries of the teaching staff of the college."

It is pointed out that the salaries of Harvard amount to $457,821, and the average per capita allowance for the staff of 279 teachers is $1570, which the signers say is too little.

# PILOT HALL IS COMMENDED

## Cunard Line Agent Said He Did Right to Strand Caronia to Avoid Collision.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 19.—According to Vernon H. Brown, agent for the Cunard line, no one is to blame for the accident which delayed the Caronia 48 hours. He said Pilot Hall did just what a gallant New York fireman does when he steers his galloping horses into an "L" pillar to avoid running down some human being.

"In the dense fog of Tuesday the Caronia found the Kaiser Wilhelm II anchored directly in her path," he said, "and a schooner off the starboard bow, toward the open channel. To go ahead meant destruction for the German liner; to veer to the right, annihilation for the schooner and all on board.

"So Hall very properly piled our liner up on the sand.

"Regrettable as was the necessity the exploit itself was one that no man need be ashamed."

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# PREFERRED ENTERING BY THE WINDOWS

## Thereby Irving Briggs Lost His Flat—Landlady Couldn't Stand Nerve Strain

Special to the Post-Dispatch

CHICAGO, May 19.—Irving Briggs has several eccentric habits, one of them is to enter his flat by way of the windows. Because he did this he lost his flat. The issue was joined in court. "He has frightened the life almost out of me for the past two months," said Mrs. Jane Baxter, landlady.

"During that time he never entered the flat by the door. His windows were next to mine and he would come along at all hours and I would be awakened by creaking of windows. Once he went down the chimney. I sent for the police twice and they found him all right in bed, but could not arrest him. He has me so nervous I can't sleep."

Briggs offered no defense, said he was willing to give up the flat.


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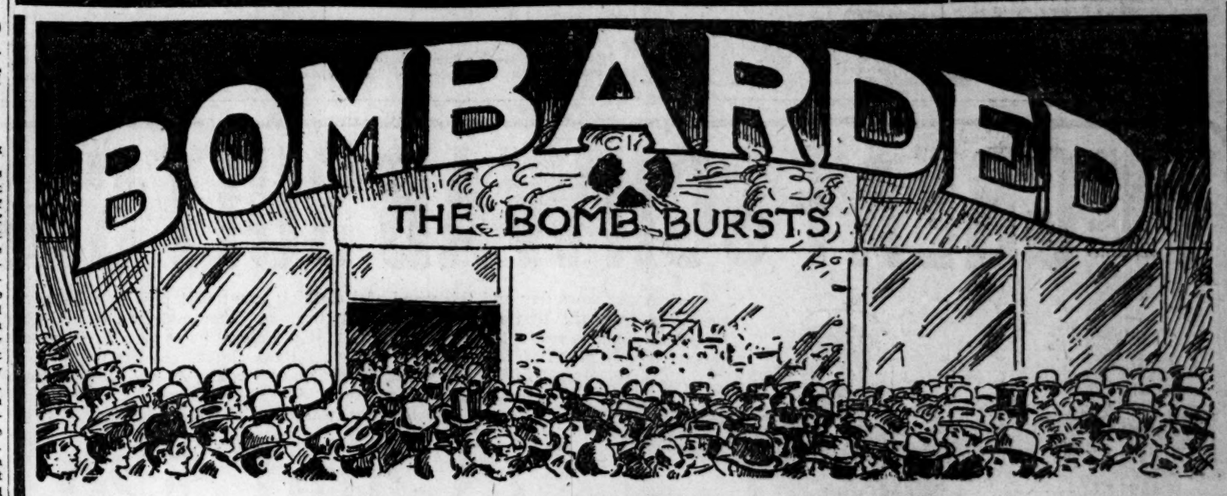


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# PARDEE SUPPORTING CHINA'S EMPRESS AN

## California's Governor Routs a Chinse Reform Army Mobilizing in His Domains.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—Dowager Empress An has found unexpected support against the Chinese Reform Army, which is gathering in this country preparatory to making an onslaught for the reform of the Celestial Empire and, incidentally, place the Emperor on his throne sans her leading strings, in Gov. Pardee of this State. The Governor learned that a part of the reform force, whose leader is now in St. Louis, was stationed at Fresno, and he charged them through the court there, with the aid of District Attorney Jones, and put them out of commission. The Governor says that they shall not violate the neutrality of his territory.

It is understood the forces pledged to the reform movement number about 40,000, and that they are raising a war fund at the rate of some $500,000 per annum. Who the financial genius is that is engineering the movement has not been learned, but attention of American get-rich-quick operators is called to the matter. They might learn something.

# TO STOP SCORCHER SHOOT HIS TIRE

## St. Louis County Deputy Sheriff Tries Stopping Automobile With Revolver.

Deputy Sheriff William Olderworth of St. Louis County has a plan for stopping scorchers which did not work right when he tried it the first time but he has not lost confidence in its merit.

His plan is to shoot a hole in the tire of an automobile and thus stop it.

He was driving Thursday afternoon on the Clayton road and an auto came up behind him. The chaffeur honked at him insistently but he did not choose to yield the center of the road.

When the chaffeur got a chance he cut around the deputy sheriff's buggy. He turned back into the road so abruptly that the machine struck the deputy's horse and Olderworth came near being pitched into the ditch.

He called to the chaffeur to stop but he kept right on. The deputy fired at one of the tires but his horse was unruly and his aim was not true. The chaffeur thought he was being shot at and put on all speed.

# FOLK RECOGNIZES HILLER'S SERVICES

## Governor Appoints St. Louis County Man Factory Inspector Vice "Jock" Bellairs.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., May 19.—Gov. Folk has appointed J. C. A. Hiller State Factory Inspector, to succeed C J. Nordmeyer, and in place of Jock Bellairs, a St. Louis newspaper man who was first appointed and has since declined to take the job.

Hiller was one of the first Folk men of St. Louis County and was secretary of the old County Central Committee that called the first Folk convention. His appointment by Gov. Folk is recognition of his strenuous work in behalf of the movement to give Mr. Folk the Democratic nomination.

Saturday Special—Tan Sample Oxfords for women, 4, 4½, 5, $3.50 value, for $1.95, at Boehmer's.

# AGED WOMAN BADLY INJURED BY A CAR

## Crossing Easton Avenue Near King's Highway When Struck and Fatally Hurt.

Alighting from a west-bound Easton avenue car and trying to cross Easton avenue just west of King's highway in front of an east-bound Easton avenue car Friday, Mary Dougherty of 815 North Tenth street, an infirm woman of 70, was struck by the car and received injuries which will probably prove fatal.

She was taken into the drug store of M. C. Kalis, 4934 Easton avenue, where examination revealed that both arms and several ribs were broken, the lower fore arm crushel, the left hip probably dislocated, severe scalp wounds sustained, and serious internal injuries indicated. An ambulance was summoned and the injured woman was sent to the City Hospital.

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# RAILWAY COMMISSION FAVORED BY PROUTY

## President of Interstate Commerce Body Would Create a New Department.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Commissioner Prouty of the Interstate Comerce Commission today gave testimony before the Senate committee on the subject of regulating freight rates.

He said that neither the commission nor any court had power to determine a reasonable rate. He would create a Department of Railways, before which informal complaints could be filed, and also a commission which should decide all questions of rates to go into effect at once, to be reviewed by a court.

In his opinion the railway rates are lower now than if they had been fixed by a commission. Competition in railways, he declared, had ceased or would cease, in a very short time. Discrimination, he prefieted, would be a greater evil than rebates in the future.

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# MORO OUTLAWS ARE SUPPRESSED

## Gen. Wood Puts Down Uprising of Sulus and Kills the Leaders in a Jungle Battle.

MANILA, May 19.—The Moro outlaws against whom Gen. Leonard Wood has been campaigning have been killed in action, together with all the principals. The outlaws were supporters and followers of the Sultan of Sulu.

The outbreak was purely an aggregation of piratical outlaws and disorderly characters of Sulu. The position selected by the outlaws for defense were in almost impenetrable jungles, prohibiting the use of artillery and necessitating close contact and an assault in two instances.

Gen. Wood's forces sustained a loss of nine killed and 21 wounded. All of the latter are doing well.

### Kirkwood Heights Auction.

Tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock 57 choice residence lots in the subdivision of Kirkwood Heights, in South Kirkwood, will be sold at auction. The sale will be without reserve to the highest bidder.

Loewenstein Bros., agents for the property, will provide free tickets, good for transportation to the auction sale, either by special trolley cars or Frisco Railroad.

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This season's dressiest and most approved pattern and style effects are represented in this rich gathering—the much-wanted worsted fabrics in plain grays, plaids, stripes or novelty designs, the nobby cassimeres and Scotch mixtures, also the popular blue serges, black Thibets and black clay and unfinished worsteds—fashioned in the very latest single and double breasted styles. Remember, Saturday, May 20, is positively the last day of this eventful sale, so make it a point to attend tomorrow without fail, while you still have an opportunity of choosing one of these handsome $18 or $20 Suits at the extremely low price of..... **12.50**

## Men's $3 Fancy Vests, $1.85

Choice of several hundred of this season's smartest Fancy Vests for men and young men—of fancy worsteds, mercerized vestings and wash fabrics—in brown, silver grays and various other desirable dark and light colored effects—sizes 33 to 44—regular $3 and $3.50 values—Saturday, very special, choice of any in the lot for..... **1.85**

## Men's Panama Hats

**The identical quality that is offered elsewhere at $7.50 to go Saturday at Famous for $4.10.**

An unusual purchase enables us to offer Men's Extra Fine Genuine Ecuador Panama Hats, in every new and correct shape—the most serviceable, coolest and lightest weight hat obtainable—Saturday only, while 24 dozen last, very special, choice for... **4.10**

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## Boys' $1.90 Hats for $1.10

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## RACE SUICIDE FROM VARIED VIEWPOINTS

### Homeopathic Congress Raps Roosevelt's Plea to Mothers and Woman Suffragists.

### EFFECT ON SUNDAY SCHOOLS

### Held Responsible for Decline of Institutions for Religious Instruction.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LINCOLN, Neb., May 19.—President Roosevelt's theories on race suicide were combatted at the State Homeopathic Association meeting today, the preponderance of opinion among the doctors being that the President was wrong. The most pointed address was that of Dr. Freda Lankton of Omaha, who said she had no fear but there would always be plenty of babies. She continued:

"Our President goes before the Mothers' Congress and begs for more babies. Our ex-President launches the assertion upon a startled world that women need no other recreation than having babies, and now Dr. Anna Shaw comes out with the cry, 'No ballot, no babies.'

"They are all wrong. The only danger for the babies is the insanely rapid pace the present day woman is leading."

### DEMANDS CHURCH RISE TO END RACE MURDER.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 19.—"We have heard a great deal recently against race suicide. Let us rise and put an end to race murder."

This was the watchword which Dr. Ernest Richard of Columbia University and president of the German-American Peace Society gave the peace-loving women. Then he added:

"I have my doubts whether there is not something wrong with a country where patriotism has to be taught and drilled into the children. It is as unnecessary to teach love of country as to teach a child to love its mother. Teach honesty, justice and humanity and patriotism will take care of itself.

"But do not make cowards of your boys. Do not worry when they fight other boys. That is part of their development. What we want is that the nation should outgrow it as the boy does when he becomes a man."

### RACE SUICIDE EFFECT ON THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SIOUX CITY, Io., May 19.—During a heated discussion in the Iowa Episcopal Church Convention here today upon the topic, What is the problem of the Sunday-school? Dr. E. H. Rudd of Fort Madison, Io., startled the delegates by declaring race suicide is partly responsible for the decline of the Sunday-school. "In most of the parishes few children have come into the families, so that it is often not possible to secure a large Sunday-school attendance," he said. "In my parish it is not race suicide that causes the lack of interest, but it seems to be the will of God. I wish the commission could suggest a remedy for this problem."

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## NOTHING HEARD OF THOMAS

### Investigation of Books of Fulton Asylum Treasurer Continues.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MEXICO, Mo., May 19.—More than $2600 has been spent in the investigation of the books of W. D. Thomas, the absconding treasurer of the State Hospital for the Insane at Fulton. There are now three expert accountants at work on the books, and it is said, unofficially, that a report will be ready for the Governor in a short time. The experts refuse to discuss the situation in any way.

This investigation started on March 15 and the accountants have been working night and day since. It was necessary to compile an entirely new set of books covering eight years' time, the term of Thomas' office, and involving, it is said, the receipt and expenditure of something like $1,700,000. Nothing has been heard of the whereabouts of Mr. Thomas.

### Women Held for Robbery.

Ella Green and Lizzie Moore, negresses, of 816 Market street, are accused of robbing Louis Kenoves of 119 South Sixth street at the mouth of an alley on Eighth street between Market and Walnut streets, of $65 and a check for $4.80. Kenoves followed the women to 812 Market street. One of them slashed his clothing with a knife. The women were arrested at 1:30 a. m. Friday, and $55, the check and the knife were found in an ash barrel.

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## AMERICAN HOPES TO BE THE LAFAYETTE OF CHINA; LEADS ARMY

GENERAL HOMER LEA

### Homer Lea of Denver, Traveling With Former Prime Minister, Is Commander of Reform Forces—Says China is Nation of Dough and Needs the Yeast of Western Energy.

What Lafayette was to America Homer Lea hopes to be to China.

At the age of 28, Homer Lea, an American, born in Denver, is the commander of all the forces of the Chinese Empire Reform Association, and by appointment of Kang Yu Wei, is at the head of the military and educational organization which they hope will make China the greatest nation of the world.

Gen. Lea is with Kang Yu Wei and party that is now touring America, and establishing schools and organizing military academies. The party is stopping at the Southern Hotel, and Thursday the man who feels that he is destined to command the "military forces of 400,000,000 people" explained to a Post-Dispatch reporter the work and how he came to be a part of it.

Gen. Lea is slight. He is scarcely above five feet in height, and he will weigh not more than 120 pounds. His complexion is dark and his face smoth shaven. He has dark brown hair and it is parted in the middle and is carefully brushed. His eyes are a dark grey, and they look earnestly through gold rimmed spectacles. At his work in one of the parlors in the Southern, with letters piled before him, he looks more a student than a power in the military. He wore a gray suit of soft material, and a panama hat, creased in the middle, was on the table before him. His uniform, which he always wears on public occasions, is that of a lieutenant general in the American army.

His voice is soft and low, and remarkably musical. He is earnest in his utterances, and when he talks his grey eyes light up with enthusiasm.

Never strong physically he early became a student, and in 1898 he was graduated from Stanford University.

"I had made a study, he said, of the military science," he said.

"Not that I expected at the time to follow the military, but because I loved the science. I realized that no nation was ever in the ascendancy, no powerful dynasty ever fell save through the degeneration of its military. The military is and should be the fundamental science of all sciences, for it is this that develops manhood to its highest perfection.

"After Empress An had caused the Emperor to be cast in prison, and after she had caused all of his councilors to be beheaded, save His Excellency Kang Wei, and after the edicts had been issued changing the customs that had prevailed for thousands of years, I visited China and saw for myself the needs of the great nation.

"I saw that China was a nation of dough. What it needed was yeast. That yeast is western energy. I realized that I could be of vast service to the country. I met a friend who was also a friend of His Excellency.

"This mutual friend brought us together. I offered my services and they were accepted. We studied and planned together. We saw that the reformation of China must come from within itself, but there must be help from without. The Chinese Empire Reform Association was organized to furnish this help.

"Education is the basis. Our first school was organized at Los Angeles, Cal., more than a year and a half ago. Now in America there are 30 schools, patterned after this first one. They are not dissimilar from the American military academies. We teach military tactics along with other sciences. It develops the pupils. The pupils are all Chinese. The instructors and officers are all American. The uniforms appear to be American, but embrace many Chinese features.

"We are working in China, as well as elsewhere. In that country we already have 2000 schools established, but they are not so thoroughly equipped as are our schools in America.

"When the Empress dies and the Emperor is restored to power, then the schools there will be reorganized on the same basis as the schools throughout the United States. Until that time arrives we must work as we are doing now.

"Since I have been connected with the movement I have not drawn one cent of pay, though I have been tendered a large salary. With this noble band working to get their Emperor out of prison and to lead their 400,000,000 people from the darkness into light, I would consider it criminal to accept pay. When the Emperor is restored, if he has anything to offer I could then accept.

"Americans ought to be interested in our movement for two reasons. First from a commercial standpoint, for when the doors of commerce are opened this country will have direct dealings with more than half the world's population, which is located in China. And then, secondly, for what Americans ever boast, fair play."

## "Homes to Be Happy, Must Have Parents' Courts, Like Those of State"

### Mother for Appeals and Father for Supreme Tribunal, Judge O'Neill Ryan Tells Round Table Club, Are Necessary for Obedience in Family Life.

"The mother is the court of appeals, the father is the supreme court of the home. If people would recognize this—if father and mother as well as children would live up to it, there would be happier homes and a happier country."

Thus did Judge O'Neill Ryan, speaking at a banquet given by the Round Table Club of the Young Men's Hebrew Association at the Washington Hotel Thursday evening, crystallize his opinion upon the necessity for obedience to authority.

"When the parents speak," he said, "there should be no question of obedience. The authority of the mother—the court of appeals—should be final unless her decision is contrary to that of the father. Then it is her duty, as well as that of the children, to acquiesce in and abide by the decision of the higher court."

Judge Ryan, at his home this morning, went further into details concerning his declaration of the divisions of parental authority.

"The idea cannot, of course, be carried to its finality. I cannot say who constitute the 'lower courts' or the prosecuting officials, or the court officers, in the home.

"The point is that, in the home, as well as in the larger community of the State, there must be a court of final resort. The children should recognize this as a fact; and the parents should do so no less."

He was asked if divorce cases which he has heard as a judge had led him to the formation of this opinion.

"It may have done so to some extent," he said. "There is no question that if the finality of decisions were recognized in homes as they are recognized in the State there would be less unhappiness and less trouble of all kinds.

"But the chief point I wished to make was that obedience to authority is necessary, whether in home life or in the state. It cannot be expected that men and women will obey the laws of the country unless they obey and recognize the first law of all—that of the home.

"In my talk last night, I also made reference to the Sunday closing law in discussing the general subject of obedience to authority. This law is to be a great test of the people. Laws of this kind are like new garments that are ill-fitting; for a time, at least, they are irritating, but they are a great test of the character of the people. People never think of such laws as these unless they are brought home to them, personally; and one test of good citizenship is obedience to and respect for laws that effect one personally."

There were 200 guests at the banquet. Karl M. Vestburg presided. Judge Ryan was the guest of honor.

## VISITORS BRING THEIR OWN BREAD

### Woman Missionary Tells of Experiences Among the Chinese.

### BACK FROM HEATHEN LANDS

### Church Workers Relate Need of Religion in Oriental Climes.

Compelled by the necessities of the larger meeting, the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Baptist Church held its first meeting Friday morning between 8:30 and 10 o'clock.

It was considered advisable to meet in the Third Baptist Church, where the American Baptist Missionary Union is meeting, and as the sessions of the union begin at 10 o'clock, it was necessary for the ladies to finish their meeting in advance of that hour.

Twenty women missionaries, at home on furlough, occupied seats of honor upon the platform, and the time of the meeting was occupied with their relation of experiences in their various missionary fields.

Mrs. John Edwin Scott of Evanston, Ill., president of the Missionary Society of the West, presided. Mrs. Gerda Paulson, whose work is in Japan, was the first speaker. She declared that the time to do missionary work in Japan is now, as the conditions are ripe and the people in need of teaching.

### Work Among Chinese.

Mrs. Jacob Speicher, whose field is in Kip Yung, China, told of her work among children, and their delight in the Sunday-school cards. She told of one boy who went to Sunday-school with a hat made entirely of the cards. Work is needed, she said, among Chinese women. One conversion she told of was that of a 15-year-old wife whose eyesight became affected. Her mother-in-law promptly placed her on a boat and started her for the home of her parents. Missionaries cared for her, and she embraced Christianity. Mrs. Speicher said the message from China to America was, send more women missionaries for work among the women.

Miss Hattie Dutton, attached to the Southern Baptist Board in North China, related little life stories of the people among whom she worked. She said the Chinese wanted and expected little. For instance, when they call on a friend they take their own bread; the hostss need only provide water and lettuce.

Mrs. Davenport told of her work in Mandalay, where, she said, the natives were deep in heathenish beliefs and practices. Children are the only native missionaries, she said. She asked a 7-year-old boy what his father would do if the boy should become a Christian. "Kill me," said the boy.

### Schools in Walled City.

Mrs. J. T. Proctor told of her educational work in the walled city of Neu chow, a place of 80,000 inhabitants. There are three schools there, one for boys, one for girls and co-educational. New China, she said, had not yet done much for women; their feet were still bound and they were still the slaves of their husbands, brothers and fathers. But they were being permitted to go to school, and there was hope for them in the future.

Mrs. P. H. J. Lerriwo told of her work among Filipinos. As a medical missionary, she found a young girl suffering. It was found she was tightly bound around the waist with strings and rags. She asked that the bands be drawn more tightly, and protested when they were cut, saying they were put there to keep the disease in one place.

Mrs. Thomas, who began her missionary work in Burmah 25 years ago today, pleaded for more missionaries whose work shall be the education of Burmese as missionaries. That country, she said, can never be Christianized except by natives.

With the hymn, "Send a Light,' and a prayer that more young women might enter the missionary field, the meeting closed.

## MAY CLOSE PLANTERS' DEAL

### Change of Hotel Ownership May Be Effected Today.

Negotiations are still under way for the purchase of the Planters' Hotel from Manager Henry Weaver, who owns about 90 per cent of the stock of the Planters' Hotel Co. The purchase price agreed upon is approximately $250,000.

The option on the property, which is held by Col. T. L. Landrum of Louisville, Ky., expires tomorrow. Mr. Weaver gave it as his opinion that the deal would be closed some time today. Landrum is acting with St. Louis capitalists.

It is understood that under the new owners W. A. Cochran will be appointed manager of the hotel. Mr. Cochran is at present assistant to Col. Weaver. Mr. Eckels, it is said, may get the assistant managership. He is now a room clerk at the hotel.

Mr. Eckels is popular with the traveling public and while managing the Lindell Hotel made a host of warm friends, some of whom will urge him for manager of the Planters' in the event that Mr. Weaver retires.

## AFRAID DAUGHTER HAS ELOPED

### Father Calls at Belleville in Quest of Runaway.

Charles Williams, 220 South Main street, St. Louis, called on County Clerk Thomas at Belleville Friday to learn if his daughter, Ida, aged 16, had applied for a marriage license. He was told that she had not and he said that he expected to inquire at all the clerks' offices about St. Louis.

Williams says that he found his daughter gone from home May 8. That day, also, he says, he found a note addressed to her and signed "Boyd," in which she was asked to change her name to Ida Richardson and to get married. Williams says that his wife, the girl's mother, died six weeks ago.

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## ASKS DIVORCE FOR DESERTION

### Mrs. Gays Also Requests Custody of Little Son.

Charging desertion and asking for the custody of their 4-year-old son, Henry Sherley Gays, Mrs. Maude Albers Gays filed suit Friday in the Circuit Court for divorce from her husband, Harry Kelgwin Gays. She says in her petition that she resides at 45 Nicholson place.

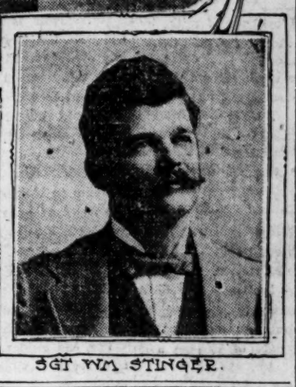
The petition alleges that the couple were married April 18, [illegible], and that the de[illegible] the plaintiff early in 1904. Their son is now with the plaintiff, whose attorneys, Barclay & Faunileroy, say that the defendant is a nonresident.

The petition also asks further orders of court with regard to alimony.

To find a home or a tenant by Monday, advertise in the next Sunday Post-Dispatch Want Directory.

## Cupid Whizzes by Police Sergeant in Auto and Shoots Arrow in Heart

MISS DOLLY HOPE



SGT WM STINGER.

### William Stinger, Who Excuses Defeats in Race With Speed Violators, Says Nothing When Conquered by Miss Dolly Hope to Become His June Bride.

Sergt. William Stinger has nothing to say. When the police automobile commanded by himself has been worsted in a race with some of St. Louis' crack speeders, the sergeant has been ready with explanations. "What chance do we have with an 8-h.-p. auto?" or "Why shouldn't a four-cylinder steamer, $25,000 machine pass our wagon?" he could ask without expectation of an answer.

But now, he has nothing to say.

He has been run down and trampled on by an antiquated young man carrying a bow and a quiver of arrows, one Cupid by name. People who witnessed the race say that Sergt. Stinger was nowhere to be seen after the start, while others declare that he deliberately threw the race. At any rate, Cupid won easily.

Miss Dolly Hope is to become Mrs. Stinger by the terms of an engagement announced Friday, some time in June, early. Sergt. Stinger made his home with Mrs. Hope, mother of Miss Dolly, 1125 North Leonard avenue.

## SIDELIGHTS ON THE BAPTISTS MEETING

E. W. Stephens of Columbia, Mo., who was chosen first president of the convention of American Baptists, is an able chairman who achieves results usually without the tactics of Thomas B. Reed, but he failed signally at noon Wednesday, when the whole body sat for a picture.

The officers had gone down from the stage and were facing the camera, President Stephens in their midst.

He looked up in the gallery and saw Miss Mary G. Burdette, secretary of the Women's Home Missionary Society, far out of range of the camera.

"The chair rules that Miss Burdette pass around to the rear of the gallery, in order that she may have a place in the picture," said President Stephens.

There was no change of position on the part of Miss Burdette.

"The chair is authority now," said President Stephens, "and must be obeyed."

The whole audience waited. Miss Burdette smiled at President Stephens, but did not heed his directions.

The picture was taken without her.

### President Stephens "Called."

Before Dr. Edward Judson of Chicago University made the motion for the adoption of the constitution, President Stephens said that he felt that he must say a few words about Dr. Judson.

Beginning with the words, "Judson is a magical name in Baptist circles," he referred to the great work done by the father of Dr. Judson, Adoniram Judson.

Dr. Judson made his address and Dr. William E. Hatcher of Virginia rose to make the seconding speech.

"Since I infringed upon the rules for the first speaker," said President Stephens, "it would be unfair if I did not do as much for the man who is to second this motion."

He was interrupted by jovial Dr. Hatcher, who said: "Never mind, sir, I'll excuse you."

### Threatened Handclappers.

Applause is not permitted in the sessions of the Southern Baptists. Instead the members say "Amen" when a speaker voices a sentiment felt by them.

The members of the Baptist Church, North, delight in handclapping applause and give it with great strength.

Dr. Hatcher of Virginia referred in his speech to the President of the United States. He did not say the name, Theodore Roosevelt, but he did describe the work of the President so well that the applause which came was like shot and shell.

Dr. Hatcher stopped speaking until there was partial silence, then began again. Another round of applause came and he was compelled to stop again.

When it was hushed he said, "You do that again and I'll stop."

But the southern brothers had learned the delight of handclapping and they too joined in the applause that followed.

## SEEK BROWN WHO HIT BRAUN

### Police Looking for Watchman Who Fought Over Beer.

The police are looking for Walter Brown, a Forest Park watchman, said to live at 1932 North Eleventh street, who is charged with striking Frank Braun of 2342 Howard street and William Vesper of Cherman, Mo., with his revolver.

Braun is a barkeeper in a saloon at 4338 Clayton avenue. Brown and Dan Foley, another watchman, were in the saloon early Friday morning when a dispute occurred between Brown and Braun about some drinks, and Brown is alleged to have struck Braun on the head with his revolver and then turned and struck Vesper, who had taken no part in the dispute.

When the police got there [illegible] had gone. They arrested Foley and took Braun and Vesper to the City Dispensary.

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## AGED WOMAN HURT TEACHING THE POLKA

### "One, Two, Three, Then Kick Like This," She Said to Youth, Then Fell.

### CHILDREN'S ARBITRATOR

### Accident Ends White-Haired Widow's Daily Pastime as Dancing Instructor.

Mrs. Ellen Heslup, who still loves to dance, though she is 69 years old, has probably danced for the last time. She is at the City Hospital with a broken leg, due to a fall in a dance.

Mrs. Heslup is a widow with white hair who is "Grandma" to everybody in the neighborhood of 2818 Wisconsin avenue, where she lives.

Because of her interest in the children of the neighborhood she has been their mentor and the arbitrator of all their differences.

One of her favorite occupations has been teaching the children to dance.

Wednesday evening several families gathered in the apartments of Mrs. Lena Schneider. While the men played cards and the other women talked, Mrs. Heslup gave the children a dancing lesson. Viola and Elsie Schneider, Anna and Bertha Nenersault and Clara and Frieda Debur, 3 to 8 years of age, formed the class.

"I'll dance with you, grandma," said William Henersauth, a young man, when the lesson was concluded.

They joined hands and started through the movements of the polka, Mrs. Heslup watching the steps of the young man critically.

"You don't do that right, Will," she said, stopping. "It is one, two, three and a kick. You must give the kick, like this."

She counted one, two, three and gave the kick, emphasizing it a little to impress it on the young man. The emphasis caused her to lose her balance and she fell to the floor.

Her groan of pain changed laughter to solicitude. A doctor was called. He found that her leg had been broken and she was sent to the City Hospital.

## BEGIN 91ST ANNUAL MISSION MEETING

### Baptist Union Hears of Work in Japan and Other Foreign Lands.

The ninety-first annual meeting of the American Baptist Missionary Union is in progress Friday at the Third Baptist Church, in connection with the "Baptist Anniversaries."

The day's program began with a meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Societies.

President William A. Munroe of Massachusetts delivered his annual address in the morning. At the afternoon session addresses are to be delivered by Dr. Henry C. Mable, Home Secretary; Dr. T. S. Barbour, Foreign Secretary, and Rev. J. B. Parshley of Japan.

The program for the evening, beginning at 7:30, will be: Bible Exposition, H. O. Rowlands, D. D., Illinois; "Obedience to the Great Commission, Christ's Law of Life," Prof. John H. Mason, D. D., New York; "Missions the Supreme Argument for Christianity," President J. P. Greene, D. D., Missouri.

One of the dramatic incidents of the meeting of the Baptist Home Mission Society Thursday afternoon was the announcement of Chief White Arm of the Crow tribe of Indians, made through an interpreter, that he had decided to walk in the "righteous road." The announcement was made when the Indians were being introduced.

### Mission Officers.

At the afternoon session of the Home Missionary Society the following officers were elected:

President—W. S. Shallenberger, Washington.

Vice-Presidents—E. H. Haskell, Massachusetts; A. D. Brown, Missouri.

Corresponding Secretary—Henry L. Morehouse, D. D., New York City.

Recording Secretary—Alvah S. Hobart, D. D., Pennsylvania.

Treasurer—Frank T. Moulton, New York.

Auditors—Edgar L. Marsten, New York; L. F. Requa, New York.

Managers, term expiring in 1908—R. P. Johnston, D. D., New York; E. Lathrop, D. D., New York; Ezra H. Stevens, Albany, N. Y.; I. W. Maclay, Yonkers, N. Y.; E. T. Tomlinson, Ph. D., Elizabeth, N. J.; Rev. W. W. Pratt, Philadelphia; Rev. Frank M. Goodchild, New York.

Rev. Dr. Samuel McBride of New York discussed "The Foreigner in America." Dr. C. Woelfkin spoke on "Essential Factors in True Evangelization," and Dr. A. C. Dixon of Boston on "The Quickening of the Evangelistic Spirit in Our Churches."

A plan for special evangelistic work was adopted which contemplates the expenditure of $10,000 a year for three years, of which $7000 has been contributed. A general committee on evangelization and special evangelists is to be appointed.

Dr. J. W. Brower of Portland, Ore., induced the convention to request the executive committee to select Portland for the anniversaries of 1906.

## HUMANE SOCIETY'S MUSICALE

### Leading Singers and Speakers at Washington Hotel Monday.

Because of the large demands on its treasury this season in prosecuting humane work the Woman's Humane Society officers have arranged a musical to be given Monday afternoon at the Washington Hotel.

The program is elaborate and is as follows: Address, John H. Holmes; soprano solo, Miss Gay Mellvaine; violin solo, Miss Mary Quive; contralto solo, Miss Edwina Tutt; address, Father James T. Coffey; piano solo, Miss Mary Pearson; soprano solo, Miss Emma Milentz; address, Rabbi Leon Harrison; tenor solo, Stephen A. Martin; recitation, Miss Isabel Meyerson; bass solo, Demoster Godlove; address, Rev. James W. Lee.

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## ROCKS FALL ON BOULEVARD HOMES

### Forest Park Resident Asks Injunction Against Dynamiting in Quarry.

Two applications were made to the Circuit court Friday for injunctions to restrain quarry operations adjacent to residences.

William J. Johnston of 3610 Forest Park boulevard, sued the Bambrick-Bates Construction Co. He says the company has been operating a quarry and dynamiting near his $10,000 brick residence and other property that he owns in the vicinity. His residence has been shaken, he says, and the windows and doors rattle, plastering has fallen and the foundations have been weakened. Rocks fall on the boulevard and on the residences, he says, breaking the slate roofs of the latter.

He says he and his family and tenants are kept in fear, visitors are frightened away and the property is deteriorating. The noise frightens horses and the dust from a crusher fills the atmosphere and ruins furniture. Children, he says, are afraid to play on the boulevard.

George R. Blackford makes substantially the same allegations against the Heman Construction Co., which operates a quarry just back of his residence at 3760 Laclede avenue, adding that offensive odors come from it.

## WOMAN CAUSE OF SUICIDE?

### United States Revenue Cashier's Death Laid to Blackmailer.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 19.—From the investigation which his friends have conducted, it has been concluded that George Richardson, cashier in the United States revenue department, who committed suicide yesterday, was the victim of blackmail. It is believed he was involved in an affair with a woman; that she threatened to expose him unless he produced a big sum of money, and that this drove him to end his life. His accounts are in good condition.

When he came home Tuesday night he told his wife he was short in his accounts and that he must have money. She took a midnight train for Hartford, borrowed $200 from her brother and hurried back only to find him dead.

An examiner has gone over the books and found no defalcation. Investigation now shows Richardson, who was a devout church man, has been leading a dual life.

## COURT WOULD SPANK THEM

### Judge Sorry He Couldn't Chastise Girls Who Fought.

With an expression of regret that he was not empowered to give them the whipping which he declared they deserved, Judge Hodgdon sitting in the Juvenile Court Friday, discharged a white girl and a negro girl, who had been arrested for fighting on the street.

"You are both schoolgirls, and old enough to know better," he said. "Your conduct was most unseemly. Each of you deserves a good whipping, but as I cannot whip you I shall discharge you with a warning against appearing in this court again."

The girls were Annie Bertrand of 1928 Biddle street and Georgiana Robinson, colored, of 2629 Pine street, each 15 years old, though Georgiana is much larger than Annie. They quarreled about whether Annie should make room on the sidewalk at Jefferson avenue, in front of St. Bridget's School, for Georgiana to pass, and soon got into a lively fight. A young man separated them and a policeman arrested them.

To find board or boarders by next Monday, advertise in the next Sunday Post-Dispatch Want Directory.

### Car Hit Pole, Two Hurt.

Louis Kunzmann, aged 77, of 2226 California avenue, is in a serious condition at his home as a result of injuries Thursday morning when a Bellefontaine car jumped the track at Pennsylvania avenue and Meramec street and collided with a telephone post. Mrs. Carrie Hopkins of 2516 Itaska avenue was also injured about the hands and face. At the time of the accident Kunzmann was seated on the front seat of the car.

$1 off on Manhattan Special $3.50 Oxfords for men, Saturday Special at Boehmer's.

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The volunteer fire fighters who grabbed buckets of milk, by mistake, to put out a fire, did not make much of a mistake.

The chief city of Kentucky is to be the headquarters of the United Baptists. But what kind of a water record has Louisville?

The new German-American trade conditions seem to indicate that there may have been something in the McKinley reciprocity idea after all.

## A CHINESE WARNING.

Kang Yu Wei, ex-Prime Minister of China, reminds all foreigners that the estimated population, 400,000,000, is based upon a census taken 50 years ago, and there is reason to believe that it is considerably below the actual number. Moreover, he reminds the world that with such a population an army of great magnitude can be raised. The cabinets of Europe and America should take notice.

The ex-Prime Minister does not threaten. He only warns the people of the West that an aggressive chief of state may turn up in China and he won't promise a dove-like policy.

Hitherto China's wars have been defensive. She fought to prevent the English from bringing in opium with which to besot her people. She took up arms to save herself from trade and the missionaries and other Western ideas. She wanted to be let alone to dream and study Confucian texts and worship the dead. But the West saw advantage in Oriental markets, and China had to submit.

But will she submit when an army of 6,000,000 is put in the field? Six million can be raised readily. Organized, drilled and intelligently officered, what can't be done with such an army? Already a nucleus of 50,000 is formed under officers trained in Japanese and German methods. In 30 years that nucleus may grow to a mighty host. What Japan did, China can do.

The thought ought to sober the war lords of the Western world. To paraphrase an English song of Beaconsfield's day, China doesn't want to fight, but if she must she has the men, she has the ships, she has the money, too. That will be heard in China in 1935, if Kang Yu Wei's program is realized. Strenuous statesmen of that day will have something to think about.

If the two greatest marksmen in St. Louis do not know of a good marksman who uses either liquor or tobacco, where are we to get our sharpshooters for the next war?

## THE LADY IS TOO ABSOLUTE.

Mrs. Arthur M. Dodge, president of New York's Federation of Day Nurses, is as much opposed to race redundancy as Mr. Roosevelt is to race suicide.

"The absolute limit of a woman's capacity for taking care of babies," says Mrs. Dodge, "is eight, and she ought never to have more than six."

There is no absolute limit to a woman's capacity for anything. Relative limits may be fixed by the club or by fashionable society, but she has no right to plead anything absolute.

Mr. Roosevelt spoke the authoritative word on this question. And Mr. Cleveland supplied the absolute. After two men so wise and good have spoken there is an end of it. The case is absolutely closed.

Masculine government has always failed to get a complete enumeration of dogs for taxation. The experiment of Arkansas City, Kan., in turning this work over to a club of women will be watched by all the mayors in the United States.

## THE KAISER'S CUP RACE.

At last the yachts are off for the Kaiser's cup. For the next two weeks little news of them may be expected. If one of them is perchance sighted by a passing steamer, who shall say that it is first or last in the race? There is no end of room for speculation as to which will turn up winner at the Lizard.

Where the types of boats vary so widely all calculations are to fail and the unforeseen decide. And that very fact heightens interest in the race. It is to be regretted that foreign owners are not more fully represented. With eight American yachts against two British and one German the odds favor the Yankees.

Some years ago Chile was exceedingly warlike. Now she knows better and has gone to putting her millions into good roads and has raised a colossal statue of Christ, made of bronze from melted cannon. A little republic may advance faster than a big one.

## IF HE HAD A MIND TO.

People who laugh at Mr. George Bernard Shaw because he says he could write plays as good as Shakspeare forget that other men have thought lightly of the poet.

Wordsworth—or maybe it was Coleridge, affirmed confidently that he could write as well as Shakspeare, "if I had a mind to." "So," said Charles Lamb, "it is the mind you lack." A few years ago Mr. Hamlin Garland got public attention and held it for a day or two by letting us know that Shakspeare was a crumbly idol, quite worn out, not up to date. He, too, could do better if he had a mind to.

Shaw says he has, in fact, written as good a play as "As You Like It," except the beautiful verse, and he isn't sure about that. We all hope it will soon be published or put on the stage. If he has a mind to, Shaw can, of course, write as good verse as is found in Shakspeare's dream. It will be a delightful surprise if it turns out that he really has a mind to.

It is a great pity that a man must have a mind to before he can do great work. But that seems to be the law. Shaw and Garland, however, and other up-to-date geniuses can console themselves that Shakspeare might have written as silly stuff as they sometimes do, if he had had a mind to.

The most curious sight in St. Louis forms the subject for a striking colored page in the coming Sunday Post-Dispatch Magazine. Very few, if any, readers could guess what that sight is. It tells of an industry that has vast possibilities for the city and state. The great Raffles, amateur cracksman, again amuses readers in the second of the series of Hornung's clever and inimitable stories. A Wife and a Farm for Every Marriageable Man is an article that will set many young men thinking, perhaps acting. It is a true story and beats anything in the so-called matrimonial papers. Old slaves who stayed in a St. Louis mansion till the wreckers came is the remarkable story next told. The mansion is now being wrecked, and no St. Louisan can afford to miss this historical article. Of a very practical type is the next page story, telling how a number of St. Louis workingmen have escaped the clutches of the landlord by building a flourishing suburb with their own hands. Artists and photographers will be especially interested in the two pages that follow. There is the usual supply of good things for women, in fashion and housekeeping; the page of New and Strange Things; a whole page of interesting, amusing and curious things for children, and the theatrical page. These do not exhaust the contents of a Magazine which will be sure to delight every reader.

## GOSSIP AND DIPLOMACY.

The Bowen-Loomis scandal is furnishing some interesting revelations in regard to the alley-fence gossip of diplomacy.

Mr. Bowen is preparing a formal statement of his side of the case, but it is said that he disclaims any responsibility for the charges made against Mr. Loomis, and does not pretend that there was a basis of fact for any of them. Mr. Bowen's position, according to report, is that he considered it a matter of official duty to forward to Washington a statement of the reports that were in circulation in Caracas.

This raises an important question for the State Department to decide. How far should a minister go in reporting gossip relating to his predecessor? If the aforesaid predecessor was in the habit of quarreling with his wife or eating raw onions for luncheon, should the serious comment of diplomatic circles in respect to these derelictions to be transmitted to the State Department? If the wife of a former minister was suspected of bleaching her hair, should a conscientious successor keep the Secretary of State in ignorance of the pointed insinuations made by the ladies of the various legations?

For the guidance of its ambassadors and ministers plenipotentiary it is time the State Department had a definite rule to determine the exact responsibility of all diplomatists in regard to gossip relating to their successors. If this information is to be given to the newspapers simultaneously with its transmission to Washington, it might be reasonable to call in the society editors for consultation as to what kinds of gossip should be considered essential to the welfare of the Government.

## POST-DISPATCH ANSWERS

RULES.—Write but one question. Sign one initial. No business addresses. No bets. Only simple legal questions answered. Address all questions, "Answers," Post-Dispatch. Use postal cards if convenient.

K. J.—Ask at book or music stores.
C.—Second cousins marry in Missouri.
N. Z.—See catalogue, Public Library.
PERSIMMONS.—Giraffes in captivity, 7.
D. S.—Merchants' Bridge cost $2,000,000.
P. D. Q.—"Casey at the Bat," bookstores.
E. O. D.—See civil service, old postoffice.
C.—Crosswise, right-hand, "Do you love me?"
S. T.—World's Fair Liberty Bell Day, June 8.
WOODARD.—Farmers peddle in St. Louis free.
C. C. V.—See civil service office, old postoffice.
R. W.—Ask in reference room, Public Library.
J. E. McL.—Iroquois Theater fire, Dec. 30, 1903.
A.—Art Museum will not open on Fair Grounds.
J. L. M.—Language of flowers, Standard dictionary
S. H. F.—There was never a real Sherlock Holmes.
F. J.—Try writing Winston Churchill, Windsor, Vt.
H.—St. Louis to St. Joseph, 300 miles; to De Soto, 43.
H.—Try writing to Agricultural Department, Washington.
E. N. G.—For full information in regard to public land openings, write Interior Department, Washington.
GLOOMY GUS.—We have no reliable figures in regard to the comparative loss of life by earthquakes and storms.
A. T. W.—Barber pole gets its colors from the blood and bandages used by the early barbers, who were also surgeons.
L. G. B.—You might write to the mayor about target. Ordinarily shooting within the city limits could not be permitted.
S. W.—We have no record proving that "most enlightened preachers of the different Protestant churches" believe in a literal, eternal hell.
R. T. L.—To clean light felt hat: Mix magnesia and naptha, rubbing well into the hat with a brush. When dry, brush off. Repeat if necessary.
DAUGHTER OF A CONFEDERATE.—Perhaps Capt. Frank Gaienne, Fullerton building, could direct you in finding the company and regiment you seek.
J. J. T.—"Any" and "one," being both singular, "anyone who has" is correct. "Have" is used in plural connections and not always in the singular.
F.—The name "Henry Ames" was placed above the balcony of the Lindell Hotel because Henry Ames, with his brother Edgar, built the original Lindell.
A. B.—Blackheads: Cover well with lather of castile soap and scour with a brush of medium soft bristles. Pimples: Diet, fresh air and a blood purifier.
W. A. R.—Ordinarily the oldest son would have no advantage over other children in distribution of household goods on death of both parents. Consult lawyer.
MR. A.—If Mr. B. would like to know three young lady acquaintances of Mr. A, he should, after their consent has been obtained, be introduced to them by A.
MRS. A. R.—We do not know dimensions of battleship flag. The flag used on dress occasions is guessed to be about 18x12.
W. F.—Write Minnesota Historical Society, St. Paul.
X. Y.—To avoid being stoop-shouldered you have simply to persistently sit, stand and walk erect and lie perfectly straight while asleep. Throw away your pillow if necessary to straightening.
INQUISITIVE.—For wedding feast, chicken croquettes or creamed oysters, salad and sandwiches, ices and cakes, black coffee in small cups. Best man hands clergyman the fee. Bridemaids not necessary if you object to "style."
YOUNG LADY OF 20.—Skin food: White wax, 1 ounce; spermaceti, 1 ounce; lanolin, 2 ounces; sweet almond oil, 4 ounces; cocoanut oil, 2 ounces; tincture of benzoin, 30 drops; orange flower water, 2 ounces. Melt first five ingredients together. Take off the fire and beat until nearly cold, adding little by little the benzoin, and lastly the orange flower water.
I. I.—For nervousness, drink 3 pints of hot water (not too hot) a day, with juice of lemon—not more than half a lemon altogether. Eat apples, oranges, grape fruit or grapes, celery, onions, tomatoes, spinach, lettuce. Avoid pork, pastry, tea, coffee and fried stuff. Sleep enough, in well-aired room. Get plenty of air and sunshine. Put salt in bath. And never think you are nervous.
BRIDGET.—Height of woman (classic standard) should be 7½ times the length of the head, 10 times the length of the face, 9 times the length of the hand and 6 to 7 times the length of the foot. Only silly people ridicule one's feet. If you are 5 feet 6 inches at 16 or 17 years of age, you may need large feet later on, as there is a possibility of increased bodily development for them to support.
A. B.—Magner's Standard Horse and Stock Book says: "The teeth of the sheep consist of incisors, or cutters, and molars, or grinders. There are eight of the former, all in the lower jaw, and 24 of the latter. On the upper jaw, in place of cutting teeth, the sheep has a cushion upon which the teeth of the lower jaw impinge." So your statement that "there are no front teeth in the sheep's upper jaw" may be correct. R. R. will please note.
LANDLADY.—Hotel, inn and boardinghouse keepers may sell for cash the baggage and other valuables of their guests or boarders, upon which they may have a lien, or which may be left with them unclaimed, after having retained possession thereof for not less than six months, or giving 5 days' notice of such sale, stating the time, place and terms of sale, by advertisement in a newspaper published in the city where the sale is to take place.—R. S., 1899, Sec. 4237.

"ASSURANCE DOUBLY SURE."

President Roosevelt, during his visit in Chicago, on two occasions reaffirmed his declaration that he would not again be a candidate for the presidency.—News Item.
From the Chicago Inter Ocean.

"DON'T BUTT IN."

From the St. Paul Dispatch.

JUST A MINUTE
FOR
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Verse and... Humor

### Hard Job.

Ah, it is hard to be a King
And sit upon a throne!
The job may seem an easy thing,
Yet often we are shown
How wearisome the task must be
To self-respecting men.
Yes, here it is once more, we see—
King Peter's snubbed again!

By hokey, I would rather be
The captain of a plow,
Or sail upon a wintry sea,
Or earn my salt somehow,
By any sort of lawful means,
Save this one means alone—
To loaf around with kings or queens
Or sit upon a throne.

AN ILLUSTRATED PHRASE.

A Fellow Feeling.

### Our Language Lesson.

ETUDE.

You have often seen this word, no doubt. You will find it in the musicale notices in the Sunday society column. You have observed that an etude always occurs in the morning. Just why it is the morning, and never the afternoon, that is afflicted with these spells is a matter which etymologists have never been able to determine. When the morning is about to have an etude there are no premonitory symptoms, for it comes on without warning, just like an epileptic fit; but in a newspaper office it is easy to tell when the morning has been thus afflicted, for a tall young woman wearing pincnez with a gold chain floats in with a sheet of manuscript in her hand, walks up to the pink-shirted sporting editor, who is smoking a cigarette, and says, "Beg pahd'n, but ah you the sociutty editaw?" This is a sure sign that the morning has had another etude, and that the copy reader will be called upon to perform an operation on her manuscript with his blue pencil.

### Garrulous.

They thought it strange in Balaam's day
To hear an ass converse,
To speak right out and have his say,
For better or for worse;
But nowadays they talk their fill.
In fact, you cannot keep them still.

Frederick A. Bailey, who was Barnum's giant, has closed up his saloon and joined the church, thus proving the truth of the old hymn that "while the lamp holds out to burn the tallest sinner may return."

His horoscope declares that the little Czarevitch of Russia will grow up to be impetuous and audacious. Heavens! Will wars never cease?

The Fool Killer will hardly be needed this season if the supply of wood alcohol holds out.

The phrenologist is likely to encounter a good many hard bumps in his business

### Sunday Law in Stockholm.

The barrooms must be closed at 8 p. m., every day, except Saturday at 6 p. m., and Sunday the whole day. On Sunday after 8 p. m. liquors are served in restaurants with the supper. All stores are closed on Sunday, except milk stores and bakeries, until 9 a. m.

### Archery Note.

Bashful Suitor: You are my sole aim in life, Miss Margery.

City Maid: Well, you won't make a hit unless you get closer to the target.—Puck.

HANGING UP THE RIFLE AND TAKING DOWN THE BIG STICK.

From the St. Paul Dispatch.

## NEW YORK NEWSPAPER VIEWS

### This Morning's Comments on Today's News by the Leading Metropolitan Journals.

By Leased Wire from the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 19.—The World says: "Mr. Roosevelt's decision to accept no more transportation favors from the railroads will end a practice that can be traced largely to failure of Congress to provide an adequate salary for the President of the United States.

"The railroads have been glad to carry the President free because it was a good advertisement. Presidents have accepted such favors because they could not afford to pay for special trains out of their official salary. The situation reflects little credit upon the Government of the United States.

"Congress cannot increase Mr. Roosevelt's salary during his present term, but it ought to make an appropriation for paying the President's traveling expenses when he is on public business—and a President of the United States is always on public business when he travels."

The Press (Rep.) is sad of heart, depressed and angry because of that decision to buy canal supplies in the open market. Here are some of the protests it makes today: "We protest because it is an arbitrary canceling, by individuals, of the will of the people. We protest because it is a betrayal of the Republican party, charged by the American people with the guidance and administration of their affairs. We protest it is treasonable against the citizens of the United States and their sovereign will.

"And we submit that if any man, no matter who he be, persists in carrying out this un-American and unfaithful program until such time as Congress, acting for the outraged people, shall suspend his power to do things which he has no right to do, then the national electorate shall bring against him a further indictment to be answered at the polls.

"And when the American people have fixed their punishment for him with the official cast of their ballots, we don't think there will be enough of his political existence left for mortal eye to see it as anything but a shadowy memory of a misguided past which closed not a day too soon."

"The action of the President has fixed the attention of the country upon the weakest spot in the protectionist argument, the fact that our protected manufacturers sell their products at a lower price to foreigners than they charge to American consumers," says the Times. "Mr. Dalzell, that lion-hearted, rock-ribbed, unyielding, perennial and perpetual Pennsylvania protectionist declares that Congress will lose no time in passing a resolution prohibiting the purchase of materials for the canal in other markets than those of the United States.

"In attempting to pass a home-purchase resolution the protectionists would really be trying to curb the President. Do they actually want to rouse that tempestuous spirit and force him with all his tremendous popularity to take the field for an active campaign in tariff reform?"

"How can an American industry be said to suffer if it receives from the United States Government for material to be used at Panama the prices that it would be glad to obtain from French or German or English contractors doing the same work at the same place?" says the Sun (Rep.).

"Why should the United States Government be expected to pay any American manufacturer any more than his own market price for the commodity in which he deals?

"In the absence of legislation authorizing the payment of a bonus on American goods to be used on the canal, what right has the executive to grant such a bonus out of the treasury?

"If there is to be any bonus on foreign sales, ought it not in common decency go to the Government from the manufacturer, so amply protected in his home market, rather than to the manufacturer from the government?"

## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Letters on all matters of public interest not exceeding 100 words, will be printed in this department. To insure publication be brief. Most suggestions, complaints, etc., can be written in much less than the 100-word limit. "Boil it down."

### The Bridge Hold-Up.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I have just read your excellent editorial on the bridge arbitrary, and the thought that wells up in my mind is, "How like the robber barons of feudal times!" and the gentlemen on the boards of directory of the several corporations in this predatory combine are "leading citizens" and "very prominent in philanthropic and charitable work" of one kind or another.

Your editorial portrays the truth of the matter. We are at the mercy of these bandits of commerce. Our municipal life is threatened with the malignant cancer of monopoly. Why not, like a surgeon, cut it out, even to its very roots? Tell them in very plain language: "We will take them, hoof, hide and all, sooner than permit our civic life to perish."

S. M. MILLER.

### Teachers' Salaries.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I should be grateful for an opportunity to publicly thank Rabbi Harrison for his forceful and unselfish effort in behalf of the public school teachers, and for his plain and unvarnished statement of facts. While he may have misquoted a few figures, his general statements were in every way correct. He is said to be incorrect in his statement regarding principals of High schools. Whether he was or not is unimportant. High school principals are few in number. He spoke truly of the rank and file, and it is they that count—not principals. A principal or a superintendent may be absent six months and not one child miss his daily instruction, but if a teacher be absent one day, either another teacher must be secured at once, or a room be dismissed and the children lose the time. Dr. Harrison says they "may die like dogs," after a lifetime of service. They have done so right here in our city, and, what is worse, live like dogs in their old age.

A PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER.

### Lynch Law in Missouri.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Lynching is always to be regretted. The cause for it is to be more regretted. Swift and certain punishment by law is the preventive.

A man in England was convicted and hung, for murder, in sixteen days after the killing, a few years ago. Do we hear of lynching there? Why should it take years to determine what should be done with a criminal? If a murderer is not hung why should he get an opportunity of killing another? The punishment should be imprisonment for life if he is not hung.

A. C. B.

## ILLUSTRATED LANGUAGE LESSONS.

### NO. 10.

### Vestment—Investment.

Written for the Post-Dispatch.

A POST-DISPATCH news correspondent states that the Japanese are making preparations for the investment of Vladivostok. Archbishop Glennon has just been invested with the pallium, and the financial news of the day is that stocks are firm, and that certain bonds are gilt-edged investments.

These are very interesting words, affecting all of us, and no one should be ignorant of their origin and meaning.

Vestis, the Latin word for clothing, is the root of them all. The English word nearest to it is vest, which some purists hardly tolerate; yet it is a good word, and you lose rather than gain by substituting waistcoat for it.

Any garment is a vestment, but by usage the word vestment has come to mean a part of the ceremonial garb of a religious leader or priest, just as the word regalia has been appropriated, in this country at least, to indicate the symbolic clothing and decorations of secret societies.

Invest has four distinct meanings—clothe, place in office, lay out money for return, and surround a city with a hostile army.

In each case, one may trace the modern meaning back to the simple Latin word vestis, meaning clothing.

The priest is clothed with the vestments with which he is invested. The officer is clothed or surrounded with the office and its authority. The money is clothed upon, buried, so to speak, in the property or securities in which it is invested. And the city is so surrounded by the investing army, that it may be said to be clothed in a hurtful garb, as was Hercules in the poisoned shirt of Nessus.

The prefix in is often dispensed with, in words derived from vestis. The governor is vested with authority. In law, the title to property is vested in the owner. To vest means to clothe oneself with vestments. And in rare cases vest is used for invest, in speaking of placing money at interest. Derived from vestis we also have vestry, a room where vestments are kept; vesture, dress or garments, and vesturer, a sacristan, one who has charge of vestments.

Words are invested with additional interest by long usage. It is a good investment to learn all about them.

## WOMEN IN THE NEWS

Would American women rather have the crinoline or the vote?

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Had Jessie Bartlett Davis sung only ragtime, would there have been such fond recollection of her singing?

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Want a wife? The coming Sunday Postpatch Magazine tells about a number of mateless Eves who will give farms as bonuses for suitable Adams. A true story.

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Missouri University student complains that all the girls at Columbia expect to ride in carriages, while the university girls at Lawrence, Kan., are content to walk. Is it a matter of difference in feet?

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Bessie Davis, a chorus girl convalescing in a Philadelphia hospital from a bullet wound caused by her lover, wants to marry the man who shot her. Don't write mushy love letters; take a pot shot at her.

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Alas for masculine constancy! The lover who quit smoking to keep his kisses pure for his sweetheart is now defendant in a suit for breach of promise. Perhaps the lady in the case did not mind the smoking so much as the vows which went up in smoke.

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An Emporia woman, who is by no means a heavyweight, was seen going about the neighborhood on a recent windy day carrying a flat iron in each hand. Although she didn't have the irons labeled "ballast," no one asked any questions. Emporia (Kan.) Gazette.

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The Optimist, a weekly published by the inmates of the Jackson (Mich.) penitentiary, makes a powerful plea for Nan Patterson, charging her troubles on such men as Caesar Young, and adds:

"This very night you will see around the entrance doors of dressing rooms of New York's theaters hundreds of human vultures in form of bankers, brokers, lawyers, doctors, judges, politicians, grafters, sons of wealth and wealth itself, waiting—waiting to take away the young, the beautiful, the pure, the ambitious, the guileless, to pleasant scenes and pleasures that only money can buy—and then by and by, into the courts, they will be dragged, and hounded and abused and pointed out to jury and populace as fiends and only fit for the electric chair or hangman's noose."

True, true—only too true.

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# WOMEN AND GRAFT.

## A ROMANCE OF POLITICS AND LEGISLATION.

BY IVAN WHIN.

COMPLETE IN SEVEN CHAPTERS.

SYNOPSIS OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS.

Emma Long, a stenographer, of Otterville, declines Will Saunders' love and goes to Springfield, where Frank Hammond, a member of the Lower House, has got a position for her in the Board of Equalization. She finds that there is no work attaching to the position and secures another as a stenographer in the Governor's office, supplanting Minnie Heidemann, who, in conjunction with Francois Moore, has stolen a bill mine operatives want killed. Minnie and Francois divide $10,000. Among Emma's friends are Ed Scott, Mickey Maginn and Albert T. Payson, who are known to the lobby as Brains, Hustle and Front. She lives with Letty Smoot and Fanny Arnold, who are stenographers in the Governor's office.

### CHAPTER V.

### A Band of Brigands.

IF Francois Moore had not bought a new suit of clothes much trouble would have been avoided. He was seedy, had been seedy for years. The petty graft that came his way barely sufficed for living expenses. Suddenly there came into his possession a large sum of money. It was less than he thought should have come to him; he believed that Prosper Morgan charged his principals the rumored $50,000, although only $10,000 was needed in killing the bill, but he dared not squeal. He took what comfort he might from the sum that fell into his hands. His first care was to procure new clothes, a Prince Albert coat with broad silk-faced lapels such as was fashionable 20 years ago, and a high hat of modern mode. He even indulged in patent leather shoes and other accessories which changed his appearance in a day from poverty to affluence.

"Moore has turned a trick," said Mickey Maginn. His finger was on the pulse of every bit of legislation before the assembly, but the clue to the mystery was not in his keeping. "It must be a department graft," he said, and set on foot a line of inquiry to ascertain with whom Moore had been in conference.

Scott was equally curious, and all at sea. Incidentally, they heard that "Facts" was gone suddenly and the two facts, being equally mysterious, coupled in their minds.

They knew that Emma Long's appointment was gained. Letty Smoot told them of her success, and they were not surprised when Minnie Heidemann left the city westbound. That fact did not seem significant.

Mickey learned that Moore had spent the evening prior to his order for clothes in company with Prosper Morgan, who was also gone suddenly, and Scott, being interested in the signing of a bill, learned from "Facts'" successor, Barney Freund, that the secretary's desk was in confusion.

Intuition is the greatest gift of a man in Scott's position. He leaped to the right conclusion.

"Morgan has done us," he said, and grasping his hat rushed away in search of Archibald.

Archibald, pastmaster in the craft of legislative sandbagging; ingenious leader of the most wonderful organization of scientific boodlers ever seen in legislative halls; a giant in stature, but having the intensified cunning of a midget; a total abstainer from liquor, tobacco, gambling and all other vices which sap the energies of men; a tireless worker, without scruple or mercy.

"Morgan has stolen the mines bill," said Scott, and Archibald, knowing the full import of this communication, needed few facts.

He sent out his lieutenants, gathered the clerks of the Senate and set them to work tracing out the mystery. When the Legislature met the next day the scouts were active and the mines bill, reintroduced, began again its course through the houses, reaching the governor's office in the shortest possible space of time. Every detail was carefully guarded, every record was made with painstaking accuracy, and it came up for executive approval without a flaw.

This could not be and was not accomplished without a certain amount of publicity. The Governor heard of it and required until the story of the first bill's disappearance was known to him. That is so much of the story as the heads of the combine knew. He sent for Moore and put him on the rack, but learned little; Scott and Archibald told him all they had been able to lear. For once the combine and the Governor worked hand in glove. Archibald was set upon making it clear to beneficiaries of legislation that they must deal only with the combine. He wanted the thieves punished, knowing full well that the theft had been committed outside the ranks.

A grand jury investigated and returned an indictment against the former private secretary and the aged hanger-on, Francis Moore. The latter sought immunity from prosecution and told a garbled tale, implicating "Facts," who was a long time under a cloud, that did not wholly designate even when an ingenious cross examiner extracted the truth from Minnie Heidemann. She married a saloon keeper and lives in Belleville; "Facts" is secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in Butte, Mont.

Let us hurry away from them and back to the people whose lives have a deeper interest.

Emma Long's entrance on her duties in the governor's office preceded by several days the installation of the new private secretary, Harry Fentress. Therefore she stood on the same plane as the others in his mind, all of them better informed than he concerning their duties and his own.

Fentress was tact personified. He had a feminine desire to stand high in the estimation of everyone, a feminine amiability and some capacity. His large dark eyes were of a dog-like beauty; his hair curled slightly, and massed thickly above a high, broad forehead. His close-cropped dark mustache was a note of masculinity that his face needed to redeem it from insipidity. The girls named him "Beauty" and treated him with that negligence which would have maddened had he not been so absorbed in the complicated detail of his new position.

He singled out Emma as the most useful among the stenographers and took her advice with flattering humility.

Scott saw this and appreciated that if he would have influence in that office he must gain a strong position in her regard. He made much of Hammond, in whose career he knew Emma had the interest of an old-time friend, and he talked with her confidently on legislation, betraying unimportant secrets of the manipulators which were interesting to the Governor, into whose ears Emma poured them with a certain pride. Letty and Fanny were not neglected in his calculations, for he had no desire to introduce the fateful element of feminine jealousy. He sent flowers to the cottage and books and music, procured express and telegraph franks for each of the trio there and theater tickets.

Emma was distinguished from her friends subtly and gradually Scott came to have a large place in her thoughts.

The night of his little dinner it seemed quit natural to her and her companions that he should be her escort.

Scott arranged the affairs. It was to be bohemian and interestingly different. He said it was his return for their hospitality. Hammond was one of the guests. Senators Dilling, Hilton and Miles were there, as were Letty and Fanny, and a dark, fragile little widow, Mrs. Griswold, of whom Miles was deeply enamored.

Scott led them through a garish restaurant, preceded by an obsequious manager, to a stairway in the rear, and as they went down into the basement they saw a bar, before which men were drinking. Back of this were little dining rooms, a series that had been made one room by the swinging back of partitions.

The girls cried out their astonishment and their pleasure in the lavish decoration of the table that awaited them. Their host gave Mrs. Griswold the head of the table and seated Miles upon her right. He placed Letty and Fanny on his own right and left and gave Emma in charge of Hilton, who faced Hammond and Dilling.

"Touching self-sacrifice," whispered Letty. "Who am I to fascinate?"

Scott laughed boldly. "I need them all but Hilton and Dilling most."

"Then Dilling is my task?"

"I wouldn't set you a task, but if you could make him see the light on the 'curve-straightener' I'll buy you"—

"Oh, Mr. Scott," interrupted Mrs. Griswold, "what has become of the bridge bill?"

"No, no," cried Emma. Don't tell her. Don't let's hear of bills or boodle or politics tonight."

"Hear, hear," croaked Dilling, laboriously funny.

All the girls talked at once and Mrs. Griswold turned to Miles oblivious of the fact that her question had not been answered.

Later Letty said: "The 'curve-straightener' isn't worth a cent. You know the combine has killed it and you don't need Dilling. What's your game?"

"A good dinner and a happy evening," said Scott.

She looked at him closely. His plump face was scarlet and satisfied. His plump not fathom his motives, and turned to Dilling, who devoured his food as one famished.

He met her conversational baits greedily, and presently the talk drew on the forbidden topic.

"Scott's mighty happy looking, considering," said Dilling.

"Considering what?"

"Five of his men sick, one home burying his wife and another kicked over the traces on the railroad bill. The combine's trying to force the bill along, but the opposition has got a majority and they may kill it tomorrow."

"All in a life-time," said Scott; "here's to our enemies," and he raised a wine glass in the still, golden depths of which the reflected light gained brilliance. He caught a bit of the conversation between Letty and Dilling and knew its drift.

"To our enemies," cried Mrs. Griswold a trifle hysterically, and they drank with many comments and much fire of wit.

"You are against the bill?" queried Letty.

"No, and that's what Scott can't understand. I'm for the bill; it's a good thing now and it'll be a better thing for the State in years to come. But they're passing it with boodle and I won't vote for a bill that's smutched with boodle."

"But if it's a good bill, if it would be good for the State—oh, surely, Senator, you wouldn't let a prejudice—"

"There you are. An objection to boodle and boodlers is a prejudice. There was a big lawyer over in St. Louis called boodling a conventional crime.' I tell you decent men have got to take an uncompromising stand against this thing or the heart of the people will become corrupt." Dilling said this with an oratorical flourish that reminded Letty of Payson and she wondered why he was not present.

"Aren't you in danger of doing a great wrong in your devotion to that idea?" she asked and combated his high stand with logical force that won his admiration. He lost the thread of the argument in his consideration of the woman. Her face in animation was beautiful and her quick humor captured his imagination.

"Well, now, Miss Letty," he said, "if the lobby 'd hire you I'd vote for their bill."

"I think you ought to for your own sake," she said and joined the crossfire of small talk over the table.

Under the cover of much laughter Scott whispered to Letty: "I believe you hooked a fish. If it's right you get anything in the jewelry shop you pick."

"Shoo! you ugly red Satan," she said, aloud, laughing.

"Better make it a diamond ring," commented Fanny, who had been complacently busy with her plate, but lost none of the conversation.

Letty blushed vividly and Scott stared at Fanny's childlike innocence of eye with shrewd suspicion.

"Mr. Hilton says he believes in rotation in office," said Emma. "Let's put his theory to the test and all change our seats."

"Agreed!" cried Letty, a trifle boisterously.

There was a merry war for places, each contending for the right of sitting at the head of the table. Dilling put forth his strength and gained the chair, in which he seated himself in triumph. He drew Letty down into a seat on his left and Emma on his right.

Mrs. Griswold, safe under the guidance of Miles, attained the other end of the table.

Fanny leaned over Letty's chair and remarked: "Your staid, old country friend is a trifle rough. Is it wine?"

"Dilling is feeling his wine," remarked Scott, behind his hand, to Hilton, and that respectable member of the Senate roared in acquiescence, being a trifle affected himself.

A moral nausea seized Emma and she sought Hammond's eye, with a sudden resolve to ask that he take her away.

**To Be Continued in the Post-Dispatch Saturday.**

## WOMEN'S CLUBS DEFENDED

W. L. Bodine, superintendent of compulsory education in Chicago, does not agree with Grover Cleveland that women's clubs are pernicious. He writes:

"I believe in women's clubs, because I am in an official position, as superintendent of compulsory education in Chicago, to know the vast amount of good they have accomplished in child-saving work, in securing legislation on compulsory education, parental schools and juvenile courts, and in the suppression of child labor. Women's clubs are not theoretical. They are practical. They act. They do things for the good of the community and the country. While men have been busy quarreling over the money question and the tariff question women's clubs have been busy safeguarding humanity.

"Grover Cleveland in a recent article assailed women's clubs. He believes they are inimical to society, a menace to the nation. The distinguished gentleman from New Jersey prates much of home life, of woman, her duty, her work. Be it remembered this is the same distinguished gentleman who lived half a century as a club bachelor before that indefinable spell of enchantment known as romance took possession of his soul, and he at last knew what home life was.

"Be it said to the credit of Mr. Cleveland, he has since redeemed himself. But as a penitent it is ungracious for him to assail mothers who belong to women's clubs, and some of whom had families long ere he had taken unto himself a bride. It would be unreasonable for him or any other citizen to paint the ideal wife, in this day and generation, as one whose life was bounded by the kitchen and drawing room, the nursery and the front porch. Any man who would not give his wife a day off once a week or oftener to spend an intellectual afternoon at a woman's club is unreasonable, undemocratic and un-American.

"Women's clubs do not impair home life; they promote it. They do not tend to race suicide; the majority of their members are mothers. They not only improve their own homes, but they extend the helping hand of benevolence to other homes—to other people's children, to the fatherless and oppressed, to the poor children of the city whose outings and vacation schools are a few of the many beautiful philanthropies where the altruistic doctrine of women's clubs is apparent."

## HISTORY OF THE WORLD'S FAIR

The Universal Exposition Publishing Co., of St. Louis, has published a work of 800 pages, with the title, "History of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition."

This handsome work is entirely in keeping with the subject with which it deals, being in all respects a St. Louis production. In comprehensiveness, careful compilation, wealth of illustration and general make up, it does credit to the city and state.

The history comprises a history of the Louisiana Purchase Territory, the story of the purchase, a full account of the great Exposition, including the participation of the states and nations of the world, and other events of the World's Fair of 1904. All this has been compiled from official sources by Mark Bennitt, editor-in-chief; Frank Parker Stockbridge, managing editor, and Samuel Williams, David Charles Baker, Mary Louise Dalton, Emily Grant Hutchings, Elizabeth Lewis, and Dana Albee Patten, associate editors.

The special introduction by Walter B. Stevens, secretary of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, is a thoughtful and masterly summing up of the World's Fair and its results. It is—at least to St. Louisans—the best thing in a mass of good things.

The book has been illustrated under the direction of Edgar M. Dilley with more than 4000 engravings from photographs by William H. Rau, official photographer, Jessie Tarbox Beals and George Stark, with portraits of national, state and foreign commissioners, exposition officials and distinguished visitors, by J. C. Strauss, Kandeler Bros., Murillo studio and others.

There are a large number of fine full-page illustrations, not only of the grand and beautiful Exposition buildings and other still life, but of celebrities, such as Miss Alice Roosevelt, Baldwin and Knabenshue, in their airship, etc.

The smaller pictures and portraits are a complete panorama and album of the Exposition and those who had any leading part in its creation and success. The chapter devoted to the art department of the World's Fair is exceptionally well done.

The twenty-five chapters of the work carry one completely through the period from the first period of exploitation to the giving of the final awards. The home and foreign exhibits and peoples are thoroughly described and portrayed. Here we meet again not only the familiar faces of our great men and women who came and graced the Fair with their presence, but of the peculiar peoples—from Syria, Africa, the Philippines, Siam, China, etc.—who helped to inform and amuse us for so many months. The Igorrotes have not been forgotten. The Pike has a chapter, as it well deserved.

Among the claims made for this book by its publishers is that it is the largest book ever published west of the Mississippi and the most profusely illustrated volume ever published anywhere. In spite of this, it is not unwieldy, which goes to show that modern bookmaking has solved more than one mechanical problem.

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# NEGRO MAMMY'S CENTENARY HONORED

## Banker and Railway Manager Help "Aunt Patty" Celebrate 100th Anniversary of Birth.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

COLUMBUS, O., May 19.—There was a remarkable dinner at the residence of John G. Deshler, president of the Deshler National Bank, and one of the richest men in Columbus, in honor of a colored woman, Martha Allen, or "Aunt Patty," who had reached her one hundredth birthday. There were 25 persons present, including W. M. Green, general manager of the B. & O. S.-W. R. R. Aunt Patty was a nurse in the family of W. M. Green, father of Mrs. Deshler, and nursed all the children in the family in their infancy. The second guest of honor was James Clark, aged 2 years, a great grandson.

# GOOD NEWS FOR PIE LOVERS

## New Baking Process Avoids Unpleasant Sensation of Seeing Things at Night.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BANGOR, Me., May 19.—"There is hope!" The dreaded indigestion that lurks in the famous Yankee pie is now averted by the patent wood-pulp pie plate which is being turned out at the rate of 300,000 a day for one-fifth of a cent apiece by a pulp mill in Shawmut village.

The Yankee love of pie is only held in check by the Yankee caution against indigestion caused by the bottom crust being heavy from the lard and other fats which are baked into the pie and have no chance of escape. The tin pieplate, which has hitherto served as the cooking utensil for the pie, has always allowed a greater or less accumulation of this indigestible material at the bottom of the pie.

A genius from the Vermont "pie belt," where they have pie three times a day, conceived the idea of a porous pieplate, which would absorb the fatty substances of the lard when the pie was baked. He experimented with various substances and finally hit on wood pulp, which can be worked up into pieplates with ease and accuracy. He rolled out a pieplate of wood pulp, let it harden and baked a pie in it. Result—no fatty undercrust, no indigestion, and complete immunity from harm on the most unlimited pie diet.

He took his scheme to the big pulp makers at Shawmut, and a pieplate factory has been established there which is turning out sheaves of "non-indigestion pieplates" to an impatient market.

# EVANGELS FIGHT AMONG THEMSELVES

## Brotherly "Scrap" Is Prelude to Campaign Against "Old Nick" in New York.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 19.—If this old town is not good during the summer it will not be the fault of the preachers. In fact, so desirous of saving souls are they that two camps will fight "Old Nick" to a standstill. At present they are indulging in the joys of a brotherly "scrap" among themselves to the extent at least of making counter bids for experienced employes.

The evangelistic committee of Greater New York, of which ex-Mayor Seth Low is vice-chairman, organized recently without taking into consultation the Gospel Tent Evangel. The latter organization, which has as vice-president Lieutenant-Governor Bruce, was founded eight years ago by Dwight L. Moody and has refused to be merged into the new society.

For some years the Evangels have conducted a large gospel tent. They are preparing to open their place May 21, and are planning to meet the opposition of the evangelistic committee by furnishing the city with an innovation in religious work.

The evangelist committee will not commence its work until June. It is proposed to erect 10 tents in different parts of the city and carry on a most extensive crusade. The Rev. G. W. MacPherson is superintendent of the Evangels. He has been offered the assistant superintendency of the new organization at a much larger salary, it is said, but refused it.

# WAS HE A REAL COWBOY?

## Carried an Out-of-Date Revolver and Was Arrested in New York.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 19.—How Charles Brown, a Texas cowboy, wearing a sombrero, a flannel shirt and high-heeled boots, with an ancient pistol as long as your arm in his belt, thought he could pass himself off as a collector for a New York dressmaker, is a question which only Charles Brown can answer. But he did think so and is in jail charged with attempted larceny. He presented a bogus bill at the home of Mme. Josephine Jacoby during her absence and was told to return later. When he made his second call a detective nabbed him.

The police believe the cowboy was the tool of burglars. His revolver is a curiosity, an old muzzle-loading army pistol, 18 inches long, of 48 calibre. Brown was held for examination in $2000 bail.

# PANAMA HEALTHY AS LOUISIANA

## Gov. Davis of Canal Zone Says So, and He Has Just Came Away From There.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 19.—"The Panama Canal zone," said Gen. G. W. Davis, who recently arrived from there, "is practically as safe and healthy to live in as Louisiana or South Carolina. I venture to predict that after July yellow fever will have vanished from there."

Gen. Davis has been the governor of the canal zone for more than a year.

"Hygienic conditions in the canal zone," said Gen. Davis to the Post-Dispatch, "have been greatly improved during the past year.

"Our government has spent $500,000 in bringing down an abundant supply of pure water for the whole zone from the head of the Rio Grande, ten miles away, to the water-peddling tanks, full of mosquitoes, are done away with. We are spending $400,000 in installing a perfect system of sewage. Soon the zone will be perfectly healthy."

"But is it not full of malaria?" asked the reporter.

"No," replied Gen. Davis. "There are not any more cases in the canal zone than one would find in many parts of the United States of equal area.

"I assure you that the dangers of the isthmus have been greatly exaggerated. The mischief is done by light-minded, irresponsible men who never should have gone there. These irresponsible men invent and circulate rumors about the awful danger of fever, and presently believe their own foolish stories and scare one another into a panic.

"As a matter of fact we have 9000 men at work in the canal zone, of whom 1000 are white men. The highest rate of sickness we have had is less than 3 per cent, and everyone knows that that is very low. We have seven hospitals, capable of accommodating 700 men along the line of the canal."

# THERAPEUTICS OF MUSIC IS SCIENCE

## It Should Be Given an Acknowledged Place, Declares New York Eclectic Physician.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 19.—"Musical therapeutics is more nearly a science than the ordinary practice of medicine," was the revolutionary statement made last night by Dr. J. Thornton Sibley, professor of suggestive therpeutics in the New York Electical Medical College, at the closing of the meeting of session of the National Society of Therapeutics held at the residence of Miss Florence Guernsey, No. 180 West Fifty-ninth street. In these words he answered the question raised by the subject under discussion, "Should Music Have an Acknowledged Place as a Therapeutic?" and expressed the sentiment of the majority of speakers.

While all agreed as to the healing influence, both on body and mind, of music, theories as to how it works on the objective and subjective minds of men differ. Dr. Sibley held that the individual is never thoroughly rational when he is emotional, but emphasized the point that only when he is emotional is he amenable to suggestion, it being at this time that music has its most powerful effect.

Although disagreeing with some of his theories, Dr. Emmet C. Dent of Manhattan State Hospital for the Insane, gave the result of his own experiments with music as a theurapeutic agent when treating his patients. All these, he said, showed that its influence is a more powerful one for good than any other, possibly than all other, methods of treatment combined.

"Practical experience with music as the curative agent," said Dr. Dent, "the experiments covering a period of three months with 49 cases, showed fifteen recovered, 19 improved and 14 not benefited. Music is a great adjunct in the treatment of the insane, and is especially valuable in cases of melancholia. The pulse and respiration improve and three-fourts of the patients showed a marked increase in weight."

Lacy Baker, choirmaster of Cavalry Church, said he had trained 5000 boys and found them in the beginning just like others, no better, no worse, but never a nervous one developed, a fact attributed largely to the influence of music.

Miss Eva Augusta Vescelius, who has made an exhaustive study of the effects of music on the mind, emphasized the influence of rhythm and harmony on the animal kingdom, on primitive people and on children. Among animals, she held that the elephant and cat are the most susceptible to its influence.

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# BRAVE WOMAN ROUTS BULL

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

STROUDSBURG, Pa., May 19.—M. F. Coolbaugh, a former State representative, had a narrow escape from death yesterday when a bull gored him. He owes his life to the bravery of Mrs. William Post, who rushed to his aid and drove off the animal with a hay fork.

Coolbaugh was attacked by the animal as he entered the Posts' barnyard. The bull knocked him down and gored him several times. Mrs. Post heard the noise and, seizing a fork, drove off the beast and pulled Coolbaugh under a fence to a place of safety.

# WOOD MAKES A PLEA OF GUILTY SECOND DEGREE

## Slayer of George Williams, Whose Attorneys Built Up a Weird Defense, Sentenced to Thirty Years in Prison.

## SUDDEN ENDING OF NOTED MURDER TRIAL

## Lawyers Convinced That the Jury Could Not Be Made to Appreciate a Double Personality and Killing by Suggestion.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SOMERVILLE, N. J., May 19.—After building up and supporting with expert testimony the wierdest theory of double personality for their client, the lawyers of George H. Wood, on trial for murder, today asked permission to retract the plea of of murder in the second degree which was granted. Wood was sentenced to 30 years in prison.

This remarkable situation has developed out of a course of events as perplexing as any feature of the trial. The prosecution and the defense had rested their cases and Prosecutor Reger had presented the "outline" on which the case was to go to the jury. The trial was ready for the closing addresses. The prisoner's wife was sobbing pitifully. A few moments before, Mrs. Williams, widow of the murdered man, had been assisted from the room on the verge of hysterical collapse.

As Mr. Reger referred to the prisoner and his wife Wood's face twitched convulsively. The mask of stolidity, which nothing has been able to remove during the trial, was dispelled. Slowly his arm moved out toward the sobbing wife at his side. His trembling fingers searched an instant and then rested over those of his wife. With hands clasped they sat throughout the ordeal like terrified children. When Wood was conducted to his cell, one of his counsel followed. It was then that the new plans were unfolded to him. He was dazed by the proposition, because his hope for acquittal has been strong.

"If I only knew what to do," he stammered. "I cannot understand it at all. Am I crazy? I wish I knew. I try to remember the scene when they say I did the murder."

He fell to sobbing, then checked himself.

"Thirty witnesses say I was there. My own grandmother says I was there. I can remember nothing about it, yet I try and try. Oh, God! If I could see, if I could bring back memory!"

It was the opinion of many who have followed the trial that on the evidence presented the jury would return a verdict of murder in the first degree. The difficulty of impressing on this jury evidence involving psychic aura and other abstruse problems has been recognized. It is a country jury, little calculated to think highly of expert testimony or high science.

### Realities of Wolf and Mack.

The truth is that despite the fanciful double personality theories so cleverly put forth and supported by expert witnesses, the prosecution had known for 48 hours of a man who may have suggested to the prisoner the dual personality described as Henry Wolf. This man's name is said to be Henry Wolf.

Wolf is said to be an ironworker who lives in Brooklyn. According to County Detective Totten, Wood had known Wolf for some time and fancied him a bitter enemy. An effort was made by the prosecution to get Wolf into court to testify, but he is said to have refused peremptorily.

Franklin D. Mack, a civil engineer, who was believed to have suggested to Wood the "Mack" of his fantasy, was in court. He was in charge of a job of work in Long Branch about the time Wood says he was employed there. Mack says that he employed about 300 men on the job, and the prisoner may have been among the number. He could not identify Wood, however. The defendant gave no intimation that he recognized Mack.

The existence of both "Mack" and a Henry Wolf is known to have given the defense the greatest concern.

In the early stages of the trial the suggestion was made that if the defendant would proffer a plea of guilty of murder in the second degree it would be accepted by the prosecution. This was declined and the fight for Wood's life was made.

### Man May Kill and Forget.

Dr. Sidney D. Wilgus was among the last witnesses for the defense. After the cross-examination Judge Garretson asked the witness:

"Do you believe that when the murder was committed Wood was himself? Was he himself when he hired Williams to drive him in the sleigh to his grandmother's home? Do you believe he was himself when he wrote his own name on the registering book at Blimm's Hotel in Plainfield?"

"No, he was in a subconscious state," Dr. Wilgus replied.

"Do you believe that a man could kill another while in that state and not know what he was doing?" the Court asked.

"I have known such cases."

"Do you think one man can kill another and forget all about it?"

"Yes."

Dr. Parker, the most important of the medical experts for the defense, when told of the discovery of a Henry Wolf, said:

"I am deeply interested in the psychological problems presented by the case, and would like to see this man Wolf. It may be in his power to make an important addition to the facts already obtained.

"I called attention in my testimony to the fact that the existence of a 'Mack' and a 'Wolf' might be proven. Such a discovery would not destroy the delusional character of Wood's insanity. It would tend to strengthen rather than injure my theory of the case.

"Dr. Bailey sought in his testimony to draw levels of responsibility for persons in conditions of subconsciousness where there are two different species of subconsciousness, hysterical and epileptic. The latter is the more dense. In the former there is loss of memory which may be recovered and this might be in its entirety.

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# SIMON HALTS ON WASHINGTON TRIP

## Health Commissioner, Refused Leave of Absence by Mayor, Returns From Cincinnati.

Health Commissioner Simon astonished his friends by appearing at his desk in the Health Department offices Friday when he was supposed to be in Washington, D. C., attending the National Tuberculosis Congress, which meets there today. Behind the unexpected reappearance of the Health Commissioner there is a story which is taken by City Hall people as indicating strained relations between the Health Commissioner and the Mayor.

Dr. Simon left St. Louis Thursday at 2 a. m., in company with City Bacteriologist Dr. Snodgrass, to attend the Washington gathering. When seen Friday in his office by a Post-Dispatch reporter he said that when he reached Cincinnati he received an urgent message from St. Louis which necessitated his return. He declined to say what was the nature of the message or to indicate the business that had called him back to St. Louis.

Mayor Wells said that Health Commissioner Simon had applied Thursday for a five-days' leave of absence.

"I did not grant the leave of absence," said the Mayor. "I thought that Dr. Snodgrass was going to the National Tuberculosis Congress in Washington as the official representative of this city."

It is supposed by City Hall people discussing the incident that Health Commissioner Simon's formal application for leave of absence reached the Mayor after the Health Commissioner had departed and that the latter's friends, learning that the Mayor had refused to grant the leave of absence, wired Dr. Simon to that effect and that his sudden return was for the purpose of protecting himself from whatever action the Mayor might have seen fit to take had the Health Commissioner gone on to Washington in defiance of the Mayor's authority.

# LEWIS, THE STAR OF MANUAL'S MEET

Capt. Lewis of the Manual Training School athletic squad won the silver cup presented for the greatest number of points scored at the annual field meet of the school, held in the Stadium, Thursday.

He won the 100-yard dash, 220-yard dash and the quarter-mile run, and also secured second places in the 220-yard hurdle, pole vault and broad jump. Lewis' performance was easily the feature of the day's sport.

The good showing made by the Manual athletes in the various events indicates that the school will be a potent factor in the interscholastic meet. The summary:

100-yard dash—Lewis first, Martin second, Hellman third. Time, 10 3-5s.

75-yard dash—Lawson first, Stratton second, Franquemont third. Time, 8 1-5s.

880-yard run—Ferris first, Wilcox second, Hager third. Time, 2m. 16s.

220-yard dash—Lewis first, Martin second, Franquemont third. Time, 25 2-5s.

Shot-put—Blackmer, 37 ft. 1 in., first; Wade second, Beckman third.

Broad jump—Hellman, 20 ft., first; Lewis second, Taylor third.

440-yard run—Lewis first, Martin second, Wilcox third. Time, :58s.

High jump—Taylor, 61 in., first; Hager second, Hellman third.

Mile run—Ferris first, Wilcox second, Pechmann third. Time, 5m. 44s.

Hammer throw—Blackmer, 96 ft. 8 in., first; Wade second, Beckman third.

220-yard hurdle—Taylor first, Lewis second, Mackey third. Time, 29 4-5s.

Pole vault—Mackey, 9 ft., first; Lewis second, Taylor third.

# O'BRIEN AND KELLEY DISAGREE ON TERMS

CHICAGO, May 19.—Unless Jack O'Brien, the Philadelphia boxer, agrees to accept a Chicago man as referee and to split the purse 75 and 25 or winner take all, his match with Hugo Kelly of this city will be declared off. Silvie Ferretti, who looks after Kelly's interest, received a letter from Al Herford, manager of the Eureka Athletic Club of Baltimore, stating that O'Brien, after a deal of licking, agrees to meet Hugo at 158 pounds ringside, the weight demanded by Ferretti, and that he wants Charlie White of New York to officiate, and that he signed articles to split the purse on the basis of 60 per cent to the winner and 40 per cent to the loser. The Chicagoans, however, will not stand for an Eastern referee nor for the division of the purse as named by O'Brien, and if the latter insists upon having his way about the matter Silvie will declare off the match. The men were offered better inducements to fight at either Butte or at Salt Lake City, but Jack refused these propositions, saying he preferred fighting nearer home.

## HOT OFF THE BAT

Walter Clarkson, the college boy who has been pitching for the New York Highlanders, has been farmed out to the Jersey City team. Clarkson made a notable success while pitching for the Harvard team, and his defeats of many of the major league teams while pitching for the Cambridge nine made him the most prominent figure in college baseball circles.

This year he pitched one good game against Washington, but that has been the extent of his workouts. His faults seem to be lack of confidence and poor control. It is thought his experience in the minors will help him greatly.

He is a brother of the famous John Clarkson, the $10,000 beauty, and Arthur Clarkson, who was formerly a member of the Von der Ahe teams.

Fred Glade is under the weather, and seems to be suffering from the grip.

What a yell of delight went up at Sportsman's Park when those four were posted for the Cardinals!

# MITCHELL AND JOHN L. MATCHED; MAY FIGHT.

TACOMA, Wash., May 19.—After negotiating several weeks by wire and letter, John L. Sullivan and Charles Mitchell have been matched to box 15 rounds in Tacoma, Sept. 19. Sullivan had a stormy conference last night when the articles were arranged, but today all is sunshine.

Sullivan and Mitchell are to receive 50 per cent of the gross receipts, winner to receive 65 per cent and the loser 35 per cent. Expenses are assumed by Willie Green, formerly of St. Louis, now sporting editor of the Tacoma News. Sullivan and Mitchell are to agree upon a referee 10 days prior to the match. In the event of failure, Willie Green will serve as referee, or is empowered to name one. The fight will be under the Marqus of Queensberry rules.

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# BANK OPERATES A SALOON

## Pittsburg Institution Gets Control of Liquor Business Despite Church's Opposition.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 19.—The Farmers' Deposit National Bank will dispense liquor in spite of remonstrances of the First Presbyterian Church, whose minister, the Rev. Maitland Alexander, said the bank president is not a proper person to conduct a semi-respectable liquor saloon.

The bank was refused a license recently at the annual license court. The church people were the principal remonstrants. Around the corner from the new restaurant built by the bank was a saloon owned by a man named Riddle.

The church did not remonstrate against him, and he got a license.

He has sold his license, stock and good will to the Farmers' Bank for $30,000, a high figure, and the bank is connecting the Riddle saloon with its "White Dog" restaurant on Oliver avenue just across from the First Presbyterian Church.

# RIOT OVER LOVE OF GIRL.

STERLING, Ill., May 19.—Because two men loved one girl and neither would relinquish his suit a riot resulted at Walnut in which seven were injured and one is in the hospital. Alva Wheeler and Frank Alshouse were the rivals. Leaving the girl's house together they decided to fight it out. Louis Arnay, Fred Wilson, Harry Davis and Lord Stocck joined in the fight. They were arrested and fined $10 each. Bad feeling in the town over the incident is growing.


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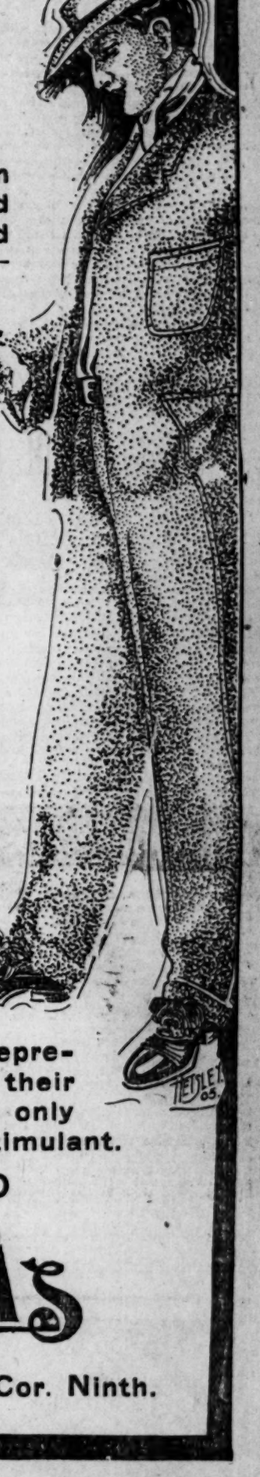

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# ALL THE NEWS OF BASEBALL AND SPORT WORLD

BOTH LOCAL TEAMS WON THURSDAY.

GOTCH WILL MEET JENKINS TONIGHT.

## PITCHER TRAVELED THREE QUARTERS MILE IN SERVING THE BALL

### Arduous Physical Task of Boxman, the Pivot Around Which the Whole Game Revolves, Illustrated by Barney Pelty's Work Against New Yorks in Wednesday's Winning Match.

Did you ever stop to consider how far a pitcher travels during a game?

The pitcher is not only the pivot around which the whole game revolves, but he has one of the most arduous physical positions on the team.

Not only are cunning curves and control necessities to the successful prosecution of his work as a boxman, but he must have a physique and constitution proof against fatigue.

Many think that because a pitcher officiates in only one or two games a week he has a sinecure and they point to the old-timers, Clarkson, Richmond, Matthews, Radbourne, Sweeney, Goldsmith and Bradley and tell wonderful tales of their prodigious pitching feats, but let us not forget that we have our heroes today as well as the older fans had theirs.

Many toss bouquets at the shortstop as the busiest man in the game, while others lament because full credit is not given to the man behind the bat, but one of the most strenuous men on the team, as shown by actual figures, is the pitcher.

In Wednesday's game at Sportsman's Park a tabulated account was kept of the number of feet Barney Pelty traveled in the nine innings he served the ball up to the Highlanders.

The compilation was started the moment Pelty entered the box and pitched the first ball to Dougherty and it ended when he threw the ball in the ninth that struck Yeager out.

Every time he took a step in the box while pitching the ball he was credited with covering 4½ feet of ground; this was while in the posture of delivering the ball, and as immediately afterwards he would step toward the plate he would traverse more ground, these distances varied, and they were added for the actual amount of ground covered.

No account was kept of how often he would use his arm, or of his running on his two hits, nor was any credit given him for the ground he traveled in going to and from the bench, the calculations were simply made of the actual number of feet he traveled while in the pitcher's box and in fielding or attempting to field a batted ball or throw.

The recapitulation showed that he covered 3823 feet, or three-quarters of a mile, and this will go far to explain why pitchers do not last longer than four or five years.

Think of the burden of worry and trouble carried for this three-quarters of a mile! His position calls for more quick action and quick acting than any other. One slip, metal or mechanical, and the and if he is beaten it is a black mark on his record that can never be crushed, and his record that can never be erased, and then there are not only his own interests to be considered, but he actually carries the fortunes of his teammates on his shoulders, and has this fact to harass him.

How would you like to be a pitcher?

## OPENING BLOCK WON BY DE ORO

### Cuban Pool Expert Takes Lead Over Keogh at Buffalo in Championship Match.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 19.—Alfred de Oro of St. Louis finished ahead in the first of three games for the pool championship of the world with James Keogh here last night. The score was 212 to 189. This lead, however, does not give De Oro the match by a long shot, as the Buffalo boy played wonderful pool and ran into a little hard luck, which gave his opponent a slight advantage.

The feature of the evening's play was a high run of 27 balls, made by Keogh, the latter's wonderful position playing, and De Oro's clever safety breaks. The Cuban showed great form in this department of the game and invariably broke when given the choice. In nine cases out of ten he was successful in leaving his opponent safe.

Both men made some exceptionally good shots. De Oro's long shots caused frequent outbursts of applause, while Keogh's ability to place his cueball was simply marvelous.

Tonight the second block of the match will be played, and Saturday the final set of balls will be run off. There was a large crowd present and plenty of betting.

The match ended with the following score:

De Oro—0 3 0 1 0 8 9 15 9 6 6 15 9 15 15 8 16 5 11 2 13 5 0 14 15 7 13. Total, 214. Scratches, 2.

Keogh—15 12 15 14 15 7 6 0 6 9 9 0 6 0 0 7 5 10 4 13 2 10 15 1 0 8 2. Total, 192. Scratches, 2.

### Martin Easy for Burke.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PHILADELPHIA, May 19.—Billy Burke bested Terry Martin in the wind up at the Broadway Athletic Club last night. For five rounds Burke had everything his own way, landing on Martin at will. In the first round Burke sent Martin to the floor three times with swings to the jaw. Martin came back strong toward the end of the round, but could not offset the advantage gained by Burke. His blows lacked steam, and Burke forced the fighting at all times. In the second and fourth rounds Martin was floored with right-hand punches to the jaw, but cleverly avoided the gruelling punishment that Burke was delivering.

## NO RESTRICTIONS ON GOLF ENTRIES

### Same Conditions as Last Year Will Govern Open Championships at Cincinnati.

CHICAGO, May 19.—As for the past three years, the open championship of the Western Golf Association, which is to be played at Cincinnati June 29 and 30, will be open to all golfers in the world. At the directors' meeting yesterday no action was taken favorable to the Western professionals, who are said to favor limiting the championship to Western talent because of the victories of Eastern players the past three times.

Conditions which prevailed when the championship was held at Milwaukee in 1903 were decided upon, including provision for a prize of $50 for the player making best score for 18 holes in any of the four rounds during the two days. Also the champion will be awarded a gold medal.

Five prizes will be given, as usual. The amounts: First, $150; second, $100; third, $75; fourth, $50, and fifth, $25. These, with the special prize of $50, will total $450, in addition to the cost of the gold medal.

Willie Anderson, who has won the championship twice during the past three years, will be back from his trip to the British open championship by June 17, so fear of his participation in the Western probably will continue to worry the "pros."

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### Saturday's Union Track Entries.

First race, mile and a half, 3-year-olds and up, selling:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Asclepias | 102 | *Prince Real | 100 |
| Betty Gold | 79 | *Sea Shark | 97 |
| Scorpolette | 103 | *Gisbock | 94 |
| Honda | 102 | *Compass | 98 |
| Lee King | 105 | Beaucaire | 104 |
| *Charlie Miller | 94 | Prodigal Son | 108 |
| Prince of Pilsen | 102 | Bill Rye | 99 |
| *Satin Coat | 100 | *Excentral | 92 |

Second race, five-eighths of a mile, 2-year-olds, selling:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Good | 111 | *Gov. Davis | 102 |
| *Paul Decring | 102 | *Lady Chiswick | 104 |
| Thiberus | 104 | *Sultry | 105 |
| Carew | 108 | *Rosinini | 102 |
| *Inspector Girl | 99 | *Marimbo | 102 |

Third race, three-fourths of a mile, 4-year-olds and up, selling:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Many Thanks | 96 | Lady Ray | 99 |
| Flying Charcoal | 101 | Forger | 103 |
| *Duellist | 98 | Will Shelly | 106 |
| Mary McCafferty | 101 | *Birdie Stone | 96 |
| *Aden | 105 | *St. Tammany | 102 |
| *Benmora | 106 | Frank Kenney | 110 |
| Signal II | 101 | Lillie Long | 101 |

Fourth race, one mile, 3-year-olds and up, handicap:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| St. Sever | 99 | Claremont | 110 |
| Little Giant | 106 | Billy Handsel | 94 |
| Chief Bush | 85 | The Don | 120 |
| Miss Gallatine | 88 | Mafalda | 108 |
| Morris Volmer | 104 | San Primo | 87 |

Fifth race, five and one-half furlongs, 3-year-olds and up, purse:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Capitano | 100 | Claude Walton | 105 |
| The Plains | 112 | Hunterton | 102 |
| Liquozone | 90 | Joe Bowers | 105 |
| Felix Mozzes | 112 | Dorothy Dodd | 88 |
| Jim Ferrin | 100 | Husted | 99 |
| Tary Worth | 110 | Tom Crabb | 105 |
| Georgie West | 103 | John H. Kirby | 99 |

Sixth race, mile and one-sixteenth, 3-year-olds and up, selling:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *El Rey | 104 | Sister Ruth | 107 |
| *Hy. Luehrmann, Jr. | 105 | *Remorse | 106 |
| *Ora McKinney | 98 | *Eva Clair | 98 |
| St. Sever | 109 | *Cataline | 102 |
| Little Bob | 89 | Hy. of Franstamar | 104 |
| *Watermelon | 100 | Arab | 107 |
| *Dr. Stephens | 107 | Midnight Minstrel | 94 |

Seventh race, five and one-half furlongs, 3-year-olds and up, purse:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hallie Sherman | 88 | Mabel Griffin | 58 |
| Cyuttics | 100 | Pontotoc | 102 |
| Lulu Young | 103 | Miss McKenna | 112 |
| Caterpillar | 112 | Billy Woodward | 117 |
| Blackmore | 105 | Josette | 115 |
| Hilarity | 117 | Jim-A-Long | 105 |
| Limerick Girl | 95 | Blumenthal | 109 |

*Apprentice allowance.

### Ruhlin After Hart.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Billy Madden, the fistic manager of Gus Ruhlin, has jumped into the limelight again and is out with a defi for Ruhlin to meet Marvin Hart for 15 or 20 rounds in Baltimore or in San Francisco.

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AT ST. LOUIS.
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St. Louis.

AT CLEVELAND.
Boston.
Cleveland.

AT DETROIT.
Washington.
Detroit.

AT CHICAGO.
Philadelphia.
Chicago.

### *STANDING OF CLUBS IN BOTH LEAGUES*

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | Won. | Lost. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 21 | 6 | .778 |
| Pittsburg | 18 | 10 | .643 |
| Chicago | 15 | 14 | .517 |
| Philadelphia | 12 | 13 | .480 |
| Cincinnati | 12 | 14 | .462 |
| Brooklyn | 12 | 18 | .387 |
| Boston | 10 | 16 | .385 |
| St. Louis | 9 | 17 | .346 |

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

| | Won. | Lost. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 12 | 9 | .571 |
| Philadelphia | 13 | 10 | .565 |
| Chicago | 12 | 11 | .522 |
| Washington | 13 | 12 | .520 |
| Detroit | 11 | 11 | .500 |
| St. Louis | 12 | 13 | .480 |
| New York | 11 | 14 | .440 |
| Boston | 10 | 14 | .417 |

The Elks would like to sign two good pitchers and three fast outfielders who play in the 14 and 15 year old class. Address Joe Irefs, 3832 Eva avenue.

The Victorias would like to arrange games with teams playing in the 16-year-old class. Address John Gerber, 2560 Montgomery street.

The Partridge Club would like to arrange a game for Sunday, May 21. Address G. A. Huettinger, 1419 Destrehan street.

The Hickemier Indians defeated the Open Air Specials in an exciting game by the score of 6 to 5.

## IS BATTLING NELSON AFRAID OF LEWIS?

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PHILADELPHIA, May 19.—Battling Nelson has declined to meet Willie Lewis of New York at catch weights. The bout was to have been decided at the National Athletic Club in this city next Monday night.

Yesterday Billy Nolan, Nelson's manager served an ultimatum on Lewis' manager to the effect that the New York boy would have to make 130 pounds or the mtach would be off. Lewis' manager offered a compromise, agreeing to have Lewis weigh in at 4 o'clock at 132 pounds, or 135 pounds ringside. Nolan refused the proposition and the bout is off.

Charley Sabine, a New York sporting man, then offered to wager any part of $25,000 on Lewis at 133 pounds ringside in a 20-round contest. Nelson says he is matched to fight Britt and could not meet Lewis in a long match.

## CORNELL AT OUTS WITH PRINCETON

ITHACA, N. Y., May 19.—Cornell will not meet Princeton on the gridiron next fall. This announcement is not official, but it is undoubtedly true. The Tigers refused to come to Ithaca for the game each alternate year, and Cornell refused to play every year at Princeton. Instead of Princeton, it is very likely that Cornell will take on Dartmouth for next season, although many favor a game with Michigan, which the Westerners are anxious to secure. Negotiations with both Dartmouth and Michigan are now on.

### Boy Charged With Manslaughter.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

TOLEDO, O., May 19.—A warrant charging John Dombrowski, a 14-year-old boy, with manslaughter, was sworn out by Deputy Game Warden Andrew Baker, whose 12-year-old son died from a wound received yesterday while the two boys were struggling for the possession of a revolver.

### Questions About Sport Answered.

Old Fan.—Please tell me if Dan Brouthers played on the Baltimore team while Ned Hanlon was the manager. He did.

Pug.—Is Owen Moran, who recently beat Monte Attell, an Englishman, and did Jabez White witness the battle with Attell? Yes, Moran is an Englishman; White was in his corner as a second.

C. F.—What were the fielding averages of Stone and Burkett last year? Burkett, .950; Stone, .934.

## HOWELL AGAIN TIES UP WITH POWELL

### Browns Play Fourth Game of Series With New York Highlanders This Afternoon.

BATTING ORDER.

| New York— | St. Louis— |
|---|---|
| Dougherty lf. | Stone lf. |
| Keeler rf. | Koehler cf. |
| Williams 2b. | Frisk rf. |
| Anderson cf. | Jones 1b. |
| Chase 1b. | Wallace ss. |
| Yeager 3b. | Rockenfield 2b. |
| Conroy ss. | Gleason 3b. |
| Kleinow c. | Sugden c. |
| Powell p. | Howell p. |

Umpire, Kelly.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPORTSMAN'S PARK, May 19.—Today's game was the last of the series with the Highlanders, and Griffith's team will not be seen again in St. Louis until July 23.

There was a big crowd of enthusiasts out.

If Griffith takes today's game he will split the series with the Browns, and if McAleer wins it will be three to one for St. Louis.

Howell and Powell were announced as the opposing pitchers.

Griffith announced before the game that he had a wire from Elberfield, who has been at Hot Springs, W. Va., with "charley horse," that the little shortstop would report for duty in Detroit.

McAleer again has his four-leaf clover on the bench with him.

### Saturday's Fair Grounds Entries.

First race, mile, 3-year-olds and up, selling:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Avoid | 110 | Loone | 112 |
| Golden Age | 112 | Pepper Dick | 112 |
| Maj. Graham | 112 | Aules | 112 |
| *Little Cocker | 107 | Willie Collier | 112 |
| Computation | 112 | *Nevermore | 107 |
| *One More | 107 | Siphon | 112 |
| *Pearl Diver | 105 | Zincite | 105 |

Third race, four and one-half furlongs, 2-year-old fillies, purse:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| America II | 97 | Pirate's Dream | 104 |
| Haughty | 97 | Angelic | 97 |
| Elizabeth F. | 97 | Miss Cosette | 97 |
| Maginia | 97 | Starling | 104 |
| Arabelle | 97 | | |

Third race, one mile and a sixteenth, 3-year-ods and up, selling:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Mr. Ritchie | 88 | *Athena | 91 |
| *Moorhen | 91 | Dolinda | 98 |
| *Chapalia | 93 | Hubbard | 93 |
| Tennant | 97 | *Mammon | 93 |
| *Docile | 93 | *Royal Arms | 93 |

Fourth race, six furlongs, Country Club Handicap, $1500 added:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Miss Mae Day | 104 | Broomhandle | 96 |
| Fruit | 92 | Mayor Johnson | 101 |
| Just So | 96 | Luretta | 92 |
| Oudon | 85 | Van Ness | 102 |
| High Chancellor | 113 | Kleinwood | 105 |
| Fireball | 115 | Lucky Charm | 94 |
| Otto Stifel | 123 | Dishabille | 115 |
| Pinkerton | 114 | Au Revoir | 118 |
| Red Leaf | 98 | Elastic | 108 |

Couple Otto Stifel and Pinkerton, Schreiber's entry; Luretta and Van Ness, J. W. Schorr's entry; Lucky Charm, Dishabille and Au Revoir, as G. C. Bennett & Co.'s entry.

Fifth race, six furlongs, for 3-year-olds and upward, purse:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dexter Prince | 95 | Angleta | 98 |
| Footlights Favorite | 99 | A. Muskoday | 98 |
| Mayor Jhonson | 108 | Augur | 95 |
| Mayor oJhnson | 108 | St. Flour | 98 |
| Howling Derwish | 108 | Flaxman | 98 |
| Jack Lory | 101 | New Mown Haw | 104 |

Couple Flaxman and New Mown Hay as M. Tennis entry.

Sixth race, one mile, for 3-year-olds and upward, purse:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Shenandoah | 98 | Ed Sheridan | 95 |
| Lucky Charm | 98 | Uncle Charley | 98 |
| Careless | 105 | Beknighted | 101 |

Seventh race, mile and one-sixteenth, 3-year-olds and up, selling:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Payne | 106 | *Bavarian | 88 |
| Mynheer | 102 | Tristan Shandy | 102 |
| *Cotillion | 88 | *Lampoon | 95 |
| *Miss Betty | 97 | *Cornwall | 107 |
| *Ethics | 106 | | |

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

The Djigs desire games with teams playing in the 17-year-olds class. Address Robert H. Hicks, 1621 South Third street.

The Dittmans would like to hear from strong out-of-town clubs. Address Thomas Scally, care Postal Telegraph Co., Fourth and Olive streets.

The Uhrig Cave Regulars defeated the American Eagles in an exciting 11-inning game by the score of 4 to 3.

## CHESTY CARDINALS AT A FINER HOTEL

### After Thursday's Victory Over Boston They Moved to Downtown Hostelry.

### McFARLAND IN BOX TODAY

### Boston Awakens to a Realization of the Excellence of the Unbeaten Mr. Thielman.

THE BATTING ORDER.

| St. Louis— | Boston— |
|---|---|
| Dunleavy rf. | Cunnell cf. |
| Shannon lf. | Tenney 1b. |
| Smoot cf. | Abbaticchio ss. |
| Beckley 1b. | Wolverton 3b. |
| Arnott 2b. | Barclay lf. |
| Shay ss. | Sharpe rf. |
| Burke 3b. | Raymer 2b. |
| Grady c. | Needham c. |
| McFarland p. | Frazer p. |

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BOSTON, Mass., May 19.—Manager Burke sent McFarland into the box this afternoon, to land the second victory for the Cardinals. Frazer was the choice for Boston.

The weather conditions were 100 per cent better than yesterday. It is not summer weather by any means, but the bright sun, which has been shining all forenoon, has dried the park, and the fielding should be of a much better grade than was the case yesterday when all the scores were lenient because of the heavy ground.

Success makes any baseball team chesty, and, after yesterday's victory from Boston, the Cardinals returned to their hotel and began to find fault with the meals, with the rooms and with everything else. Secretary Robison was the worst faultfinder, and, after breakfast today, he decided to move to a more fashionable hotel in the swell part of town. Manager Burke said: "No hotel is too good for a winning ball team."

Thielman's form against Willis yesterday surprised the natives. The odds against him were 10 to 8. Thielman pitched really wonderful ball. It was his anxiety for a shut-out that caused him to go bad in the ninth, and, had he not hit Cannell and given Tenney a base on balls, Boston would have been shut out.

### *AMATEUR NOTES*

The Grim & Gorley baseball club would like to hear from strong out-of-town teams. Address F. B. Ecks, city division, postoffice.

The Old Orchards want games with teams playing in the 17 and 18 year old classes. Address A. J. Helfer, Shrewsbury, Mo.

The Walk-Overs defeated the strong Multiplex team Sunday by a score of 7 to 4. Teams in or out of St. Louis desiring games address E. L. Keyser, 2216 Market street.

The Bayards defeated the McPhersons by the score of 17 to 13. The feature of the game was the ninth-inning rally of the Bayards, they winning the game in that period. The winners desire games with all teams playing in the 14 and 15 year old class. Address L. J. O'Neill, 4802 Fountain avenue.

The Atlantic Juniors would like to arrange games with teams playing in the 13 and 14 year old class. Address C. Miller, 2431 Fall avenue.

The Crescents, who play in the 12 and 13 year old class, desire a game for Sunday, May 21. Address Tom Connolly, care Whitcomb's, Garrison and Washington avenues.

The J. H. Cronins would like to hear from all strong out-of-town teams. Address F. H. Conley, 1423 South Eighteenth street.

The American Eagles will accommodate all teams playing in the 16-year-old class. Address C. Carlin, 1312 Pine street.

The Favorites are anxious to arrange games with teams playing in the 17 and 18 year old class. Address Otto J. Winderlich, 4273 Natural Bridge road.

MALARIA A Poison Breathed into the System

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# SALOON KEEPER IS DENIED INJUNCTION

## Judge McDonald Holds Excise Commissioner Is Not Forced to Wait on Any Court.

Judge McDonald, in division No. 3 of the Circuit Court, refused Friday to issue a writ of prohibition asked for by Charles Fensky, attorney for Nicholas Granrath, a saloon keeper at 1623 Franklin avenue, to restrain Excise Commissioner Mulvihill from passing on Granrath's case, charged with violating the Sunday closing law, before the case comes up for a hearing in the Court of Criminal Correction next Monday.

The Excise Commissioner, it was feared by Granrath, might revoke his dramshop license Friday, and the motion in Judge McDonald's court was filed to prevent such action. Judge McDonald announced that he had no jurisdiction to issue the writ of prohibition, and that such a writ would be in conflict with the law, as the statutes did not provide that the Excise Commissioner should wait on any court before taking action in cases of violation of the dramshop laws.

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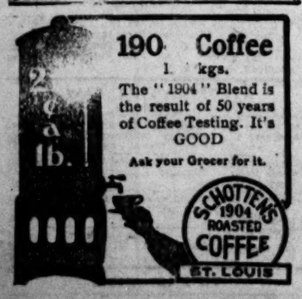



# GETS GIRLS AFTER 3 YEARS COURT FIGHT

## Mrs. Zella - Stelling - Wills-Rinehart-Ramie Awarded Two Children.

### THREE TIMES MARRIED

### In Three States Parents Battle for Possession of Their Offspring.

After a fight extending over three years in three different states—Tennessee, Kentucky and Missouri—Mrs. Zella Stelling Wills-Rinehart-Ramie, three times a wife, was awarded the custody of her two children by Judge Fisher in the Circuit Court Friday morning.

The children, Dan, aged 10 years, and Eva, aged 8, both girls, are now in the Methodist Orphans' Home at Maryland and Newstead avenues.

Their father, Henry M. Wills, a platform lecturer and teacher of oratory, formerly connected with an Eastern university, will be permitted to see them twice a month, and may take them out to parks and elsewhere for a limited time on each occasion.

Mrs. Ramie resides at 6818 Virginia avenue. Her husband, Roy Ramie, is chief clerk to the general yardmaster of the Terminal Association.

Mr. Wills, whose dress, manner and style are theatrical, resides at 5713 Michigan avenue.

In 1891 Wills married Miss Zella Stelling, an elocutionist, in Tennessee. In 1899, when they resided in St. Louis, she left him and went to Cincinnati. From there she returned to Tennessee, Wills says, and in August, 1899, secured a divorce from him without his knowledge.

#### Father Sought Children.

In 1900 she was married to Robert R. Rinehart at Memphis, Tenn. After a while she secured a divorce from him and went to Kentucky. Then she came to St. Louis. Feb. 3, 1904, she went to Belleville, Ill. with Roy Ramie, and they were married.

While his former wife, then Mrs. Rinehart, was in Kentucky, Wills attempted to secure possession of the children, but failed.

June 20, 1902, she placed the children in the Methodist Orphans' Home. In 1903 Wills enterede suit in the Circuit Court to secure custody of them, but Judge Fisher, declining to issue an order, adjudicated the matter by ruling that the mother should furnish the children's clothing, and that the father should pay $10 a month for their board.

April 18, 1905, the mother, then Mrs. Ramie, filed a petition in the Circuit Court asking that this order be modified or annulled, and that she be given possession of the children, as she had faithfully carried out her part of it, while Wills was $115 in arrears on his part.

Wills explained to the court that he had given up his place in the East to come to St. Louis to be near his children; that he had been afflicted with typhoid fever, and that he had been unable to make as good a living as usual, being in a new field.

Judge Fisher ended the controversy by awarding the children to the mother.

# PENSION RAISED BY PRESIDENT

## An Echo of the Roosevelt Hunting Trip to Colorado Wilds.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The impulsive nature of President Roosevelt has served a good turn for Whitaker Jayne of Colorado, a veteran of the Civil War, who, as a result of the President's hunting trip and the chance acquaintance, has had his pension increased from $17 to $24 a month.

It was while hunting in one of the wildest parts of the State that the President discovered Jayne, and learning that he had an application on file for an increase of pension, the President became interested, and upon his return to Washington sent a strong letter to the Pension Commissioner asking that the case be looked into. The letter stated that Jayne was a fine old fellow, deserving and worthy, but that he would not claim total disability because of his determination not to give up working until absolutely compelled to. His first pension was $8 and this was increased to $17 a few years ago.

Saturday Special—Tan Sample Oxfords for women, 4, 4½, 5, $3.50 value, for $1.95, at Boehmer's.

# STUMBLES INTO ETERNITY

## Russian Terrorist Falls and Bomb Carried in Pocket Explodes, Killing Three.

WARSAW, Russian Poland, May 19.—A workman trying to avoid two detectives today stumbled and fell on the curb of the sidewalk. A bomb which he was carrying in his pocket exploded, killing the workman and both the detectives, and injuring several persons who were near.

It is believed the bomb was intended for Governor-General Maximovitch, who was expected to pass the spot on his way to the cathedral.

The bodies of the victims were literally blown to pieces. A cafe near the scene of the explosion was entirely demolished, all the windows in the neighborhood were smashed and a lamp post was torn out of the ground.

The business man who has a "head to contrive" will need "hands to execute." If you can keep another pair of hands at work, let a Post-Dispatch want ad find them for you. All druggists are agents for the Post-Dispatch.

# AUTO KNOCKS DOWN AGED MAN

## Street Cleaner Says Chauffeur Did Not Use Horn.

An automobile driven by F. S. Klein of 4124 West Pine boulevard, at 9:30 a. m. Friday, knocked down an aged street cleaner, Frank Schemmelfenck, who is stationed at the corner of Sixth and Locust.

Schemmelfenck, who is 68 years of age and who lives at 2322 Lemp avenue, says that the chauffeur did not use his horn and that he had no warning to get out of the way. He was struck by the mud guard of the right front wheel, and thrown violently to the ground, and although no bones were broken, the old man was badly shaken up.

He refused at first to be taken to the Dispensary, but finally consented.

After the accident the automobile was stopped and the occupants, who consisted of another man and a woman besides Klein, asked the old man if he were hurt. Then they drove off.

#### Henry Thies Dead.

Henry Thies, age 46, who conducted the cigar stand in the Lindell Hotel for several years, but had been traveling for a St. Louis cigar firm recently, died Wednesday night at his home, 3958 Finney avenue. Uraemic poisoning is given as the cause of death. The funeral will occur from the residence Saturday at 1:30 p. m., to St. Ann's Church, and thence to Calvary Cemetery.

OYSTERS. "Finest" Selects, 25c a dozen. Milford's Restaurant, 307 N. Sixth street.

# MRS. JACOB A. RIIS IS DEAD

## Wife of President Roosevelt's Friend and Biographer Victim of Pneumonia.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Mrs. Elizabeth Riis, wife of Jacob A. Riis, the writer, lecturer and biographer of President Roosevelt, died yesterday afternoon of pneumonia.

In one of his principal works Mr. Riis pays tribute to his wife. He says: "When I was a boy I thought women were angels. Now that I have been married 19 years I know that they are. Woman is man's guardian angel, truly and always his better half."

# FUNERAL OF ADAM WEIST

## Member of Cotton Exchange Dies of Septic Fever.

The funeral of Adam Weist, St. Louis cotton dealer, who died Thursday at his residence, 5657 Von Versen avenue of septic fever, will be held Saturday at 2 p. m., from the residence to Bellefontaine Cemetery, Rev. Frank O. Luce officiating.

Mr. Weist was born in Baltimore, Md., in 1854 and came to St. Louis in 1877.

He had been identified with the Cotton Exchange since its inception, being at the time of his death one of the few men still in the cotton business who were present at the formal opening of the exchange.

He served as a director and as vice-president of the exchange.

He leaves a widow, Mrs. Florence A. Weist; a son, Adam Weist Jr., and a daughter, Mrs. E. V. Wilkinson.

Mr. Weist was a member of Occidental Lodge, A. F. and A. M., Missouri Chapter R. A. M., St. Aldeman Commandery and Ivanhoe Council L. of H.

# SHOOTS TO FETCH POLICE

## Woman Has Husband, Watchman, Arrested for Disturbance.

The sound of several pistol shots aroused the residents in the vicinity of Third and Rutger streets about 4 o'clock Friday morning and caused Policeman William Grate to make an investigation.

On the porch of 308 Rutger street he found Mrs. Emma Craig standing with a revolver in her hand. She said she had fired the pistol to bring the police to the scene, and that she wanted him to arrest her husband, who, she claimed, was disturbing her peace. William Craig, the husband, was arrested and will be held to appear in City Hall Police Court.

Mrs. Craig says that she left her husband, who lives at 1715 South Ninth street and is employed as a night watchman, last Monday, owing to a quarrel, and that he followed her to her present place of residence early Friday morning and created a disturbance.


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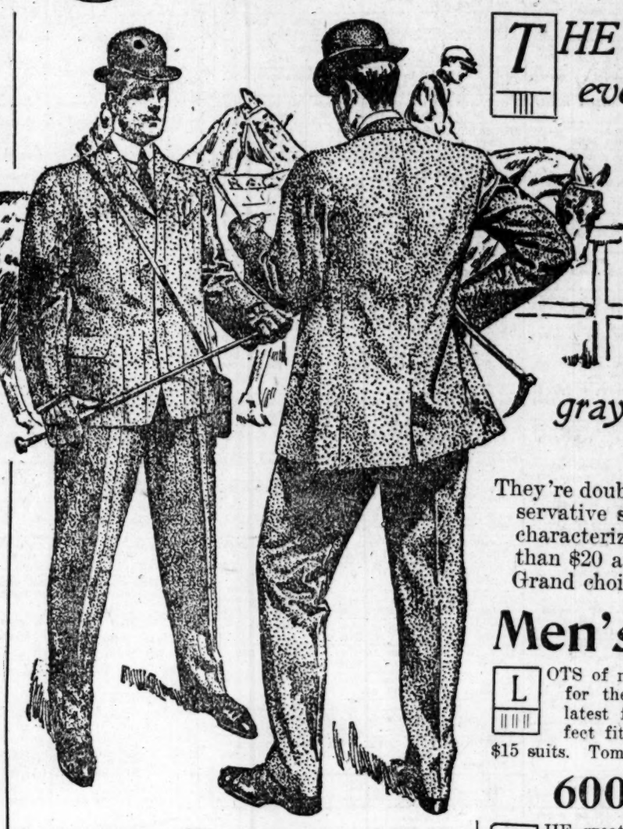

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**59c** for Men's Summer Shirts in white with plaited bosom, white corded madras, printed designs and a score of other fetching designs. These look like the regular $1 goods.

**$1.50** for Men's Union Suits in fine 1x1 ribbed lisle in ecru. All sizes of the regular $2.50 grades.

**25c** for Men's Balbriggan Shirts in plain white and with lace stripes, blue and ecru. All sizes. 50c values.

Main Floor—East Door.

## A Special Hat Offer

IF YOU prefer a soft felt or derby hat here is a great chance to save. Tomorrow we will sell our May "Special" $2 hats at $1.50. Arlington $3 hats at..... **$2.50**

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## Deaths, Burial Permits, Marriages and Births.

### DEATHS.

For death notices too late to classify see page 23.

**ASHBY**—On Friday, May 18, 1905, at 5:30 a. m., George J. M. Ashby, husband of Mary Ashby (nee Brock). Funeral will take place Saturday, May 20, at 2 o'clock p. m., from family residence, 2326 Arkansas avenue, to Missouri Crematory. Incineration strictly private. Chicago papers please copy.

**EISENSTADT**—Samuel Eisenstadt, beloved son of Mary Eisenstadt and brother of Morris Eisenstadt, Thursday at 11:10 a. m.
Funeral from the residence of his mother, 4349 Westminster place, Sunday, May 21, at 10 a. m., thence to Mount Olive Cemetery.

**FASER**—Entered into rest on Wednesday, May 17, at 3:35 p. m., Clarence P. Faser, dearly beloved so nof Fred and Sophia Faser (nee Helmer), and dear brother of Freddie and Hilda Faser, after a short illness, at the age of 16 years 7 months 10 days.
Funeral from family residence, 4217 Prairie avenue, Saturday, May 20, 1905, at 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

**HUMM**—On Thursday May 18, at 8:30 p. m., Frederick Humm, beloved father of Elizabeth Ilg (nee Humm), Kathrine Herndon (nee Humm), Berbara, Daniel and John Humm, aged 75 years 2 months and 18 days.
Funeral will take place from the family residence, 7816 Water street, Saturday, May 20, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Boniface Church, thence to Mount Olive Cemetery. Friends and relatives invited to attend.
Kansas City papers please copy.

**JOHNS**—On Thursday, May 18, 1905, at 7:15 p. m., Martha Johns, daughter of Mrs. J. A. Johns of St. Charles, Mo., aged 56.
Funeral Saturday, at 2 p. m., from the First Presbyterian Church to the City Cemetery at St. Charles, Mo. (6)

**KOLLER**—Mrs. Ellen Koller, dearly beloved mother of Mrs. Annie Wansyarg and sister of Mrs. Pat McEvory, died Friday, May 19, 1905, at 8:30 a. m., at her residence, 1308 Ann avenue. Deceased was a member of the Protective Home Circle, Benton, No. 414.
Due notice of funeral later.
Alton papers please copy.

**MURRAY**—Died May 18, 1905, at 7:30 p. m., Julia E. Murray.
Funeral will take place from family residence, 4202 North Grand avenue, May 20, at 8:30 a. m., thence to Church of Holy Name, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

**RAFFEL**—On Thursday, May 18, 1905, at 4:20 p. m., Jacob Raffel, beloved husband of Minnie Raffel (nee Hoffmann) and dear father of Frank and Richard Raffel and son of George and Annie Klaus, and our dear brother, after a lingering illness, aged 29 years.
Funeral will take place on Sunday, May 21, 1905, at 2 p. m., from residence, 3649 Wisconsin avenue. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

**REGAN**—Entered into rest on Thursday, May 18, at 1:30 a. m., after a brief illness, John J. Regan, beloved son of Mary Regan and the late Officer Barney Regan, at the age of 18 years.
Funeral from residence, No. 403 St. George street, Saturday morning, May 20, at 8:30 a. m., to Assumption Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

**SCHAETTLER**—Entered into rest on Thursday, May 18, 1905, at 6:30 a. m., Frederick Schaettler, beloved husband of Augusta Schaettler (nee Baasch), and father of Oliver Schaettler, aged 33 years.
Funeral on Saturday, May 20, from residence, 1957 North Broadway, at 2 p. m., to Bellefontaine Cemetery.

**SUMMERFIELD**—Entered into rest on Thursday, May 18, 1905, at 8 p. m., after a lingering illness, James Summerfield, beloved husband of Catherine Summerfield, and dear father, age 71 years.
Funeral will take place Saturday, May 20, at 2 p. m., from residence, 1132 Tamm avenue, to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.

**TEHIEMANN**—Entered into rest Thursday, May 18, 1905, at 8:35 p. m., after a lingering illness, at the age of 42 years 13 days, Alvania Tehiemann (nee Bent), beloved wife of Ernest H. Tehiemann, mother of Edna Steinhauer (nee Tehiemann), Amanda and Elina, John Steinhauer, son-in-law.
Funeral Sunday at 2 p. m., from family residence, 4201-04203 Clay avenue.

**THIES**—Entered into rest Wednesday, May 17, at 11:15 p. m., Henry Thies, beloved husband of Anna Thies (nee Kiely), son of Mary Thies and brother of George and Emma Thies and Mrs. Chilcote and the late Katie Lellie.
Funeral from residence, 3958 Finney avenue, Saturday, May 20, at 1:30 p. m., to St. Ann's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.
Deceased was a member of the Carr Lane Council, Royal Arcanum, No. 668.

**WIEST**—At the family residence, No. 5667 Von Versen avenue, Adam Wiest, aged 52 years, husband of Mrs. Florence A. Wiest (nee Wandell) and father of Adam Wiest Jr. and of Mrs. E. V. Wilkinson.
Funeral from residence on Saturday at 2 p. m.

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### BURIAL PERMITS.

Belmont Johnson, 1, 3818 Fair; phthisis.
Ida Lawton, 19, 1118 N. 11th; enteritis.
A. Dixon, 17, 909 Buchanan; consumption.
J. N. Cushing, 65, Grand and Washington; apoplexy.
Annie L. Colyer, 34, 4212 N. 2d; heart disease.
P. Corfin, 65, 1618 Wash; heart disease.
A. H. Bushman, 36, 4217 West Morgan; typhoid fever.
R. K. Embree, 44, 5301 Florissant; carcinoma.
R. Hendricks, 37, 4120 Nebraska; peritonitis.
M. Schroeder, 76, 2635 Rutger; pneumonia.
Maria Wuertle, 82, 2401 De Kalb; debility.
Jennie Hill, 39, 1508 Locust; suicide.
J. Paterson, 45, 2914 St. Vincent; paresis.
T. J. Murphy, 40, 3346 Lawton; suicide.
James Smith, 40, 1136 N. Broadway; accident.
Chas. Punch, 65, 3907 Delmar; sclerosis.
H. Sloan, 30, Missouri Pacific Hospital; tuberculosis.
Joe Pike, 50, 1600 California; nephritis.
B. E. Ward, 22, 4576 Morgan; heart disease.
L. Hassendeubel, 43, 2620 Park; heart disease.
A. Frank, 43, 2735 S. Broadway; nephritis.
Cleo Reath, 10, 3428 Walnut; meningitis.
H. McCarthy, 2, 4017 N. Broadway; pneumonia.

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Daniel Scullin ... 6107 Plymouth av
May Howard ... 4051 Easton av
Anthony Rush ... 1424 Linden st
Victoria Greene ... Jefferson City, Mo
Andrew Leimenstoll ... 2628 De Kalb st
Clara G. Ruck ... 2609 S. 3d st

### BIRTHS RECORDED.

Joe and M. Vaaholzer, 2520 N. 20th; boy.
Santo and A. Cantazaro, 821 N. 8th; boy.
A. B. and A. Eckhoff, 5617 Pennsylvania; boy.
Albert and Anna Greenstein, 1523 N. 13th; boy.
W. H. and Katherine James, 2724 Meramec; boy.
A. and M. Soltestak, 3349 Central; boy.
N. and M. Pearson, 2060 Dickson; boy.
Henry and F. Skell, St. Louis; boy.
J. and E. Carter, 1428 Linden; girl.
W. M. and C. S. Green, 1365 Lucretia; girl.
W. A. and Mary Hamil, 6632 Virginia; girl.
C. E. and L. Harrison, 1716 N. 10th; girl.
J. and A. Jureka, Ashley building; girl.
P. and A. Krieter, 2414 De Kalb; girl.
J. E. and S. A. Lane, 3623 Lee; girl.
C. J. and J. J. Overmeyer, 2915 University; girl.
Z. and L. Bustige, 2916 Nebraska; girl.

### LOST AND FOUND.

14 Words, 20c.

BEADS—Lost, double strand of coral beads, between 2900 Russell av and Shaw's Garden. Return to 2846 Russell av. and receive liberal reward.

BOA—Lost, Monday, May 15, on Cherokee car or 25th st., feather boa; liberal reward will be paid for return of same. 2500 University st.

CALF—Lost, calf; yellow and white; 2 years old; missing 2 weeks; reward if returned to A. Miles, 1608 N. 9th st., East St. Louis. (5)

CHECKS, ETC.—Lost, checks and deposit ticket. Return to Schade & Co., 305 Century bldg., receive reward.

DOG—Lost, white poodle dog; liberal reward. 618 Locust st.

DOG—Strayed, bobtailed bull, brindle spots, from 2124A Cass av. Finder please return and receive reward.

DOG—Lost, an old spaniel male dog, brown curly hair; white breast, sty in right eye; cankerous ears; license 6799; reward for information or returned to 2255 S. Jefferson.

HANDBAG—Lost, on Delmar car. Return to 3021 Washington av. and receive reward.

HANDBAG—Lost, handbag, on Grand and Shenandoah, containing $5 and cards. Return 1704 Whittier and get reward.

HATPIN—Lost, Tuesday, gold monogram hatpin engraved H.; reward. Return to 1808 Morgan.

HOUND—Lost, white beagle hound, brown and black spots over eye; reward. 3956 Cottage. (6)

MARE—Lost, small roan mare, roached mane; had on leather halter. Return to 4411 Easton.

MEMORANDUM BOOK—Lost, memorandum book with $19; belongs to Colored Orphans' Home. Return 4416A Natural Bridge rd. and receive rewa

POCKETBOOK—$25 reward for return of pocketbook and contents lost Wednesday evening. Ad. information to E. G. M., Madison, Ill.; no questions asked. (6)

PURSE—Lost, lady's purse containing 6 rings; reward. Telephone Lindell 2066.

PURSE—Lost, small purse containing money, between Compton and Lucas avs. to Mullanphy Hospital between car line. 3118 Morgan; reward.

RING—Lost, while transferring from Jefferson to Olive about 7:45 p. m. Thursday, emerald ring set with 18 diamonds; heirloom. Return to Mrs. C. Shay, 409 N. Broadway; liberal reward.

WATCH—Lost, lady's blue enamel chatelaine watch, on Suburban car 215, between King's highway and Barr's store, early Friday morning. Return to St. Charles Hotel for reward.

WATCH—Lost, at Creve Coeur Lake, open-face silver watch, gold fob attached; photo of lady's head under crystal. Return to F. W. Brown, Carleton D. G. Co.; reward.

#### Found.

DOG—Found, foxterrier, white and black spotted, brass-trimmed collar, no name or plate, padlock; from appearance lost some time. Call 421 S. Euclid av.

### THE BOOK EXCHANGE.

10 Words or Less, 10c.
(Each Additional Word, 1c.

POCKETBOOK Wtd.—Traupwines pocketbook; cash or barter. Ad. K 133, Post-Dis.

BOOKS of all kinds bought and sold; call or send address to Mills' Book Store, 607 Chestnut. (8)

### SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

20 Words, 10c.

BARTENDER—Wants sit.; speaks German; references. M. S., 4001 N. Broadway. (7)

BARTENDER—Sit. wanted; young man; experienced; will do porter work; references from last employer. Ad. K 116, Post-Dispatch.

BARTENDER—Sit. wanted as bartender by young, well experienced union man; can give city references. Ad. O 5, Post-Dispatch. (5)

BARTENDER—Sit. wanted by experienced bartender; can talk German and American. Ad. 2420 N. Sarah st. (5)

BOOKKEEPER—Experienced bookkeeper wants position; good references; moderate salary; reliable man, who will work to employer's interest. Ad. N 123, Post-Dispatch. (7)

BOY—Sit. wanted by colored boy, 11 years of age, wants home in good family; wages no object. Care of L. C., 613 S. Ewing av.

BUGGY HANGER—Experienced buggy hanger and crater wishes position in buggy factory; can give references. Ad. R. E., 11 S. 16th st. (6)

COACHMAN—Sit. wanted by first-class colored coachman; can furnish good city references. Inquire 1010 N. Leffingwell; Kinloch D1324.

COLLECTOR—Sit. wanted by man, age 35, with one hand, as collector, watchman or anything such men can do. A. Krummel, 224 Carroll. (7)

COLLECTOR—Position wanted by young man, 25; collector, etc.; good appearance and address; experienced; best reference and bond furnished. Ad. O 44, Post-Dispatch. (6)

COOKS—Sit. by German couple; man first-class on meat, pastry and ice-cream; wife as helper and baker; steady place only. Ad. 906 S. 18th street. (5)

DRIVER—Sit. wanted by boy hauling macadamized rock. 4243 St. Louis av.

DRIVER—Young man wants position as driver; 7 years' experience in city delivery. Ad. O 24, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG CLERK—Position wanted by registered drug clerk. Ad. O 35, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG CLERK—Sit. wanted by junior drug clerk; 4 years' experience; will do relief work. H. Flamminger, 704 Allen.

DRUG CLERK—Sit. wanted by experienced junior drug clerk; one term in St. Louis college; best of references; moderate salary. Ad. P 79, Post-Dispatch.

DRUGGIST—Relief work wanted by a registered relief clerk, one day open. Ad. O 119, P.-D. (7)

DRUGGIST—Sit. wanted by experienced, reliable single man; first-class references. Ad. N 160, Post-Dispatch. (7)

ENGINEER—Position wanted as engineer; experienced with all kinds of steam, electric and ice machinery; first-class reference given. Ad. O 155, Post-Dispatch. (7)

FIREMAN—Position wanted by first-class boiler fireman and water tender. R. L. Dunbar, 1320 Pine st., room 8.

FIREMAN—Middle-aged man, long years of experience as marine and stationary fireman, wants position. Ad. O 70, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEMAN—Sit. wanted by young colored man as houseman or porter. C. A., 2308 St. Charles.

JANITOR, ETC.—Wanted, work by married man, as janitor or night work, or for doctor or specialist. Ad. J. Thompson, 4047 Clayton rd. (5)

MAN—Sit. wanted by young man, in wholesale dry goods house; reference given. Ad. O 38, P.-D. (5)

MAN—Sit. wanted by young man between 18 and 19 years, with chance to advance. 1302 S. 9th st., in rear. (7)

MAN—Young man, 23 years old, would like position in factory or work at anything. Ad. P 73, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by young man of trust, who has a few hours a day, at anything; references. Ad. P 96, Post-Dispatch.

MAN AND WIFE—Experienced couple would like to take care of gentleman's place. Ad. W. Eves, 3345 Manchester av. (5)

MAN—Sit. wanted by young man with knowledge of drawing, under experienced sign painter or cartoonist; with salary sufficient to support self. Ad. J 153, Post-Dis. (6)

MAN AND WIFE—Nice young couple wish permanent employment at first-class residence, man gardener and general work, wife as ladies' maid; both experienced in correct service. Ad. O 154, Post-Dispatch.

OFFICE BOY—Boy wishes position in railroad or manufacturing firm's office; desires to learn bookkeeping. Ad. O 141, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Sit. wanted as city salesman by young man who can do business; no schemes. Ad. P 56, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Wanted, position as city salesman; have had 8 years' road experience. Ad. N 165, Post-Dispatch. (5)

SALESMAN—Sit. wanted by young man as salesman in general merchandise store; 5 years' experience; references furnished. Ad. O. W., 816A N. 2d, East St. Louis. (5)

SUPERINTENDENT—Sit. wanted; buildings and general construction, concrete, heavy masonry, excavation, etc. Ad. N 135, Post-Dis. (6)

WATCHMAN—Sit. wanted as watchman, either day or night; 10 years' experience. Ad. J. Balim, Grand Central Hotel.

### SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

20 Words, 10c.

BOOKKEEPER—Young lady, age 22, good education, just finished course in bookkeeping, desires clerical work assisting with books or to act as cashier or saleslady. Ad. O 45, Post-Dis. (7)

COOK—Sit. wanted as cook. 1716 S. 3d. (5)

COOK—Sit. wanted to cook merchants' lunch by a good steady woman. Ad. O 67, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—Sit. wanted by woman to cook in good private family; no other work, and good home to stay where I work, and husband. 1607 Chestnut st.

GIRL—Sit. wanted by neat colored girl; no washing or ironing. 3635 Evans.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted as housekeeper. Call 1210 Chestnut st.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by young lady, unexperienced, in private family, for housework. Ad. 1412 St. Ange av.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted by neat colored girl as housekeeper for gentleman; none but one with position need apply. 2742 Walnut.

HOUSEGIRLS—Sits. wanted by two girls of 16 and 18; would like housework; used to laboratory or bindery work. Ad. O 13, Post-Dis. (7)

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted as housekeeper by middle-aged reliable woman for widower or family employed. Ad. Mrs. E. Martni, Welston, Mo. (6)

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted as housekeeper by middle-aged widow, with furniture of 7 rooms; would like to keep house for a few gentlemen. Ad. K 78, Post-Dispatch.

LADY—Sit. wanted by young lady to assist seamstress; neat sewer; will take small pay while learning. Ad. 4201 Page bl. (6)

LAUNDRESS—Wants work at home, rough dry; also ironing. Inquire 2217 Hickory, 1st floor.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by colored laundress to go out by day. M. J., 1409 Linden.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted; shirt waists neatly done. Whitten, 3322C Franklin.

LAUNDRESS, ETC.—Wanted, washing and house cleaning by the day. 1427 N. 13th, rear. (7)

LAUNDRESS—Wants work first four days in week. Miss Katie Bowman, 1407 Franklin, rear.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by laundress for first three days in week; references. 2631 Lucas, upstairs.

LAUNDRESS—Good white laundress wants washing by day or week or housecleaning; good references. 2022½ Biddle st.

LAUNDRESS—Colored laundress wants work Wednesday and Thursday. Write Limpicome, 1231 N. 15th st.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by first-class colored laundress; washing to take home. F. Ross, 1536A S. 2d st.

NURSE—Sit. wanted by 16-year-old girl to nurse walking children; no other job. 1607 Chestnut.

NURSES—Sit. wanted by 2 colored girls in private family as nurse. 914 N. 21st st.

NURSE—Sit. wanted by elderly lady; wishes to nurse during confinement; doctors' reference; reasonable. 1702 Cass av.

NURSE—Colored trained nurse desires situation; confinement cases; experienced; references. 1007 N. 2d st., East St. Louis, Ill. (5)

NURSE—Sit. by experienced and trained nurse; can take any case; reasonable; city or country; references. Ad. G 46, Post-Dispatch. (5)

SEAMSTRESS—Wishes position in dressmaking shop; $1.25 day; experienced. Ad. P 88, P.-D.

SEAMSTRESS—Wanted, to do sewing of all kinds at the house, or go out by the day. Ad. P 90, Post-Dispatch. (6)

STENOGRAPHER—Experienced stenographer desires permanent position; can give reference. Ad. O 27, Post-Dispatch. (5)

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted by lady stenographer, at once; references; operate Smith Premier; salary reasonable. Ad. C 33, 1706 Locust. (7)

STENOGRAPHER—Wanted, position by young lady; 2 years' experience; knowledge of bookkeeping. Ad. O 34, Post-Dispatch. (6)

STENOGRAPHER—Wanted, permanent position by an experienced, first-class young lady stenographer and office assistant; A1 references; salary $60. Ad. O 86, Post Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted by young lady stenographer; very accurate; moderate speed; Remington or Underwood machine preferred. Ad. O 132, Post-Dispatch. (7)

TAILORESS—First-class tailoress wants fine pants to make or position as busheler. Ad. L 12, Post-Dispatch. (7)

WOMAN—Sit. wanted by woman to do housecleaning by day. Miss Mattison, 1019 N. 19th.

WOMAN—Sit. wanted by respectable woman; good cook and housekeeper; also good seamstress; small family. 917 N. 19th.

WOMAN—Sit. wanted by thoroughly competent woman; by the day; good references. Ad. O 33, Post-Dispatch. (7)

### HELP WANTED—MALE.

14 Words, 20c.

BAKER Wtd.—First-class cake baker. 2112 Olive.

BARBER Wtd.—2609 Laclede av.

BARBER Wtd.—First-class colored barber. 1508 Arlington av.

BARBER Wtd.—Good colored barber to take charge of shop. 111 N. 3d st., East St. Louis.

BARBER Wtd.—Good barber for Friday nights and Saturday; $5. 1515 Franklin.

BARBER Wtd.—First-class barber for Saturday; $4.50 guaranteed. 1200 N. Jefferson av.

BARBER Wtd.—Barber for Saturday; $5 guaranteed. 1016 N. Broadway.

BARBER Wtd.—First-class barber for Saturday; $5 guaranteed. 304 S. 14th st.

BARBER Wtd.—Colored barber at once. 2343 Wash.

BARBER Wtd.—First-class colored barber for colored trade. 3406 Olive st.

BARBER Wtd.—Good barber for Saturday; wages $4. 1734 Franklin.

BARBER Wtd.—Barber for Saturday; $5 guaranteed. 5711 Easton av.

BARBER Wtd.—At once; good place; good wages; Saturday. 9 N. 15th st.

BARBER Wtd.—Permanent job if suitable. 2019 N. 14th st.

BARBER Wtd.—Good barber; steady employment for good man; $12 guaranteed. 304 S. Jefferson av.

BELLBOY Wtd.—An experienced bellboy; apply at once. Westmoreland Hotel, Taylor and Maryland.

BLACKSMITH HELPER Wtd.—Wagon blacksmith helper, at once. 1328 Cass, second floor.

BLACKSMITH Wtd.—Steady work and good wages; Bridgeton, Mo. O. P. Malley. (6)

BLACKSMITH AND BOLT MAKERS Wtd.—Apply 2800 De Kalb st., St. Louis. (5)

BLACKSMITH Wtd.—Good carriage blacksmith; must be sober and steady; references. Ad. El Paso Vehicle Works, El Paso, Tex. (6)

BOOKKEEPER Wtd.—Young man, not over 18 years old, for assisting bookkeeper and for general office work; must be willing to start on moderate salary; good prospects for promotion; position permanent; address reply in own handwriting. Ad. O 53, Post-Dispatch. (7)

BOY Wtd.—Boy to help in grocery. 3458 Park.

BOY Wtd.—Colored errand boy. Flammger & Grahl Blank Book Co.

BOY Wtd.—Boy at soda fountain; references. Lehuran Drug Store, 2601 Washington.

BOY Wtd.—Small boy to stay in plumbing shop. 920 N. 14th st.

BOY Wtd.—Neat colored boy, at once, to do house and dining room work. 5356 Vernon av.

BOYS Wtd.—15 to 16 years old; furniture factory, 2620 N. 15th st.

BOY Wtd.—Experienced boy to drive grocery wagon. 5412 Lindell av.

BOY Wtd.—To run errands. 404½ N. 10th. United Coatmakers.

BOY Wtd.—For machine shop; 15 years old. Apply N. O. Nelson Mfg. Co. Remington.

BOY Wtd.—Wide awake boy, 14 to 16, for grocery and saloon. Call 2656 Geyer av.

BOY Wtd.—A good, strong boy to assist in grocery business; must have experience; apply after 7 o'clock this evening. 1109 Franklin av.

BOYS Wtd.—100 boys from 14 to 16 years old at bottling department Anheuser-Busch Brewery, 11th and Pestalozzi. (14)

BOY Wtd.—To help around house, for good home, clothes and board. 4930 Columbia av.; take Chouteau, Southampton car.

BOYS Wtd.—To sell daily papers; hustlers can make from $3 to $5 a week working after school. Krahs, 518 Manchester av. (1)

BOY Wtd.—15 or 16 years of age, to go to the country; good home. For particulars call at 4392 Easton av.

BRICKLAYERS Wtd.—20 bricklayers. 4530 Delmar bl. (1)

BRICKLAYERS Wtd.—20 bricklayers, at High School, 9th and Summit av., East St. Louis. (4)

CABINET MAKER Wtd.—First-class cabinet maker; small capital; steady work; good pay. 504 N. Commercial st. (6)

CAR BUILDERS, ETC., Wtd.—Car and coach builders. St. Louis Car Co., 8000 N. Broadway. (8)

CARPENTERS Wtd.—Two union carpenters, 11th and Lafayette.

CARPENTERS Wtd.—Apply Armour & Co., National Stockyards, Ill. (8)

CARPENTER Wtd.—A No. 1 carpenter at 114 N. 9th st. Bypasche. (3)

### HELP WANTED—MALE

CARRIAGE PAINTER Wtd.—J. J. Long Carriage Co., 4718 Delmar.

CLERK Wtd.—Grocery clerk, 17 or 18 years old; must come well recommended. Kaiser Grocery Co., 902 Manchester av.

COATMAKER Wtd.—At once. M. Schauerte, Belleville, Ill. (6)

CONCRETE MIXERS Wtd.—Five concrete mixers. Warne and Sullivan.

COOK, ETC., Wtd.—Cook; also boy to wash dishes. Restaurant, 1907 Market. (6)

COOK Wtd.—Camp cook; apply 821 Chestnut st. Carroll Contracting Co.

COOK Wtd.—First-class cook. Rebman, 4314 Olive st.

COOK Wtd.—Good short-order cook; night work. 506 Market st.

COOKS Wtd.—Two short order cooks; must do pastry work; $10 to start per week; board and room (German). Fisher's Cafe, Jonesboro, Ark. (6)

DRILL RUNNERS Wtd.—Two drill runners. East St. Louis Stone Co., at Falling Springs, Ill.; city office, 40 Missouri av., East St. Louis.

DRUG CLERK Wtd.—Registered drug clerk; city experience; state salary expected. Ad. P 86, Post-Dispatch.

ELEVATOR BOY Wtd.—Experienced elevator boy. Apply Stromberg, Kraus & Co., southeast corner 13th and Chestnut sts.

EMBOSSER Wtd.—Steel die embosser or carver; Swift press. Stephens Litho. and Eng. Co., 2d and Vine sts. (5)

FARMHANDS Wtd.—Two farmhands. 2125 N. Broadway; near city, in Ill.; call at once.

HOSTLER, ETC., Wtd.—Good hostler and buggy washer. 2801 Laclede av.

HOUSEMAN Wtd.—Good colored houseman with references. 2227 Locust st.

HOUSEMAN Wtd.—Allround house and yard man; $25 per month. 37 Washington terrace.

HOUSEMAN Wtd.—To attend one horse and drive; references. 3934 Washington av.

LABORERS Wtd.—Apply American Car and Foundry Co., Madison, Ill. (8)

LABORERS Wtd.—Two blocks west of Delmar Garden; 25c per hour. J. H. Roskley.

LABORERS Wtd.—Sewer laborers at Woman's Magazine building, 6700 Delmar bl. Robert Wycoff.

LUMBER MEN Wtd.—Experienced graders and pilers at once. Darlington Lumber Co., 3900 Chouteau.

MACHINISTS Wtd.—Apply 2800 De Kalb st. (4)

MACHINISTS Wtd.—3 nonunion lathe and planer hands, having railroad experience; steady work and free transportation. Apply 519 Panama bldg., 210 Olive st. (5)

MACHINIST Wtd.—Lathe, planer and bench machinist; apply at once; are increasing force; good wages. Bignall & Keeler Mfg. Co., Edwardsville, Ill. (8)

MACHINISTS Wtd.—Nonunion erecting and roundhouse machinists; only men having locomotive experience need apply; steady work; good wages; free transportation. Apply 519 Panama bldg., 210 Olive st. (5)

MAN Wtd.—Good man to attend lawn. 4615 Lindell bl.

MAN Wtd.—Beat carpet and do general cleaning. 4060 McPherson av.

MAN Wtd.—Young man or boy to help on peddler wagon. 1026 Papin.

MAN Wtd.—Who can milk and do general work; $20 and board. 6131 Easton av.

MAN Wtd.—To work around house and yard. 2221 Olive st.

MAN Wtd.—Capable of selling high-grade real estate notes. Ad. P 93, Post-Dispatch. (7)

MAN Wtd.—Good man to work in vegetable garden. Union and Brown. H. Lampert. (7)

MAN Wtd.—To take care of one horse, pacer. Chris Beaur, Grand and N. Broadway.

MAN Wtd.—First-class colored dining room man; at once. 2035 Park av.

MAN Wtd.—Good man, handy about farm and cattle; German preferred. J. K. Barnickol, John Deere Plow Co., 10th and Spruce.

MAN Wtd.—Young man, with some experience in winding room. Century Electric Co., 404 N. 4th st.

MARBLE LETTERER Wtd.—Ad. L. G. Brook, Highland, Ill. (1)

MARBLE CUTTERS Wtd.—Bastel Monument Works, 7037 Gravois av. (7)

MEATCUTTER Wtd.—2734 Franklin av.

MEATCUTTER Wtd.—First-class meatcutter. Call 38 Union Market.

MEN Wtd.—On 7th and Olive. Carroll Contracting Co.

MEN Wtd.—On 10th and Locust. Carroll Contracting Co.

MEN Wtd.—10 men, at 614 Olive; $2.25 per day. L. Keonah & Son.

MEN Wtd.—10 men on Von Versen, west of Union av.; $2.25 per day. L. Keonah & Son.

MEN Wtd.—To get their measure taken for $12.50 suits and $3 pants. Klein, 1617 Market st. (38)

MEN Wtd.—Every night at 7 o'clock; steady work; $15 week. Factory 511 Clark av.

MEN Wtd.—Good men for foundry work. American Radiator Co., Talmadge av. and Mo. Pac. tracks. (2)

MEN Wtd.—Two good men to sell fine homemade bakery goods to private families. 3041 Franklin av.

MEN Wtd.—Everywhere; good pay; to distribute circulars, adv. matter, tack signs, etc.; no canvassing. Ad. National Advertising Co., 100 Oakland Bank building, Chicago, Ill. (7)

MOLDERS Wtd.—Good molders. Apply Capital Iron Works, Topeka, Kan. (6)

OFFICE BOY Wtd.—Not over 16 years; must be willing to work; apply between 3 and 5 o'clock. 421 S. 6th st. (6)

OFFICE BOY Wtd.—Must live in North St. Louis; $3 per week to begin. Ad. Publisher, P. O. box 550.

PAINTERS Wtd.—Ten union painters, immediately. Jenks & Jenkins, Collinsville, Ill. (4)

PAINTERS Wtd.—First-class carriage painters. McCabe-Bierman Wagon Co., 1215 N. Broadway.

PAINTERS Wtd.—Sign painters for commercial work; also for bulletin and wall work. Waller Display Co., 1216 Farnam, Omaha, Neb. (6)

PAINTERS, ETC., Wtd.—Housepainters and hardwood finishers. J. W. O'Connell Painting Co., 1011 N. Broadway. (7)

PAPER HANGERS Wtd.—Two paper hangers. Call 1818 S. 13th st., after 6 p. m.

PAPER HANGERS Wtd.—Will pay 11c for one edge to good men. A. B. Hoff, 1438 N. 19th.

PAPER HANGERS Wtd.—10 paper hangers at once; bring tools. 2900 Indiana.

PAPER HANGERS Wtd.—25 paper hangers; union wages paid. Hodgins, Compton and Easton. (7)

PATTERN MAKER Wtd.—First-class pattern maker. Spruck Iron and Foundry Co., 14th and Branch.

PHOTOGRAPHERS Wtd.—Viewmen, operators, callers-out, proof canvassers; call before 9 a. m., after 6 p. m. Redman, 4027A N. 22d st. (5)

PICTURE FRAME JOINER Wtd.—304 S. 4th.

PLUMBER Wtd.—Nonunion plumber; good wages. Ad. O 138, Post-Dispatch. (6)

PLUMBERS Wtd.—Two; year contract; must pass examination; $3.50 per day; best town in Illinois. Ad. for one week with references, A. G. B. Harris, general delivery, St. Louis. (6)

PORTER Wtd.—Colored porter. 3200 Park av.

PORTER Wtd.—Colored porter. McCarthy-Evans Tailoring Co.

PRESSERS Wtd.—Two experienced pressers for Friday and Saturday. 3688 Olive st.

PRESSER Wtd.—For ladies' and gentlemen's clothes, good position for first-class man. West End Pressing Club, 719 N. King's highway. (5)

PRESSFEEDERS Wtd.—Pressfeeders and one who can make ready. Apply room 4, 114 N. 4th st.

PRESSMAN Wtd.—Young man, mechanically inclined, who would like to learn to be a pressman. Fulton Bag and Burlap Co., 612 S. 7th st.

PRESSMAN Wtd.—First-class job pressman, competent to take charge; none other need answer. Pilcher Printing Co., Memphis, Tenn. (7)

QUARRYMEN Wtd.—Take Suburban car to Brentwood, walk north on Mo. Pac. tracks to quarry; good board. H. F. Heman. (7)

SODA MAN Wtd.—First-class soda man. Hogan, drug store, Tower Grove and Chouteau avs.

SKIRTCUTTER Wtd.—Experienced skirtcutter, at once. Meyer-Goessling, 717 N. 11th st.

STAIRBUILDER OR CABINET MAKER Wtd.—For stair work. 23 S. 15th st.

STENCIL CUTTER Wtd.—Apply American Car and Foundry Co., Madison, Ill. (6)

STENOGRAPHER Wtd.—Good man, who can do clerical work in connection with shorthand. Armour & Co., National Stockyards, Ill. (6)

STONECUTTER, ETC., Wtd.—Bedford stonecutter and setters. Clinton School, 17th and Chouteau av.

STICKER HAND Wtd.—First-class. Hafner Mfg. Co., Main and Dock.

STONECUTTERS Wtd.—Five stonecutters, at High School, 9th st. and Summit av., East St. Louis. (1)

TEAMS Wtd.—To haul macadam. Apply 800 S. Spring av. (8)

TEAMS Wtd.—10 dirt teams at $1 load; 13th, bet. Pine and Chouteau. Fred Hoffmann & Co.

### HELP WANTED—MALE.

14 Words, 20c.

TEAMS Wtd.—10 teams to do grading; 4 months' work. Apply Hydraulic Press Brick Co., Gravois and Chippewa. (2)

TEAMS, ETC., Wtd.—50 teams, can make $5.40 per day; also 15 good shovelers, at 1024 Market; pay twice a week. Schaefer Wrecking Co. (6)

TEAMS Wtd.—To haul brick; King's highway and Frisco tracks; Spring and Manchester; Gravois and Chippewa. Apply Hydraulic Press Brick Co. (2)

TINNER Wtd.—Good man for guttering, spouting and repair work. Call 4202A Easton.

TRIMMER Wtd.—To make cushions. McCabe-Bierman Wagon Co., 1215 N. Broadway.

UPHOLSTERER Wtd.—4245 Olive st.

UPHOLSTERERS Wtd.—Apply Scarritt-Comstock Furniture Co., 1800 N. Main st. (93)

VOCALIST OR MUSICIAN Wtd.—To give services for transportation, room and board Eureka Springs, Ark., from Friday until Monday evening during the entire season. Send references and date you can come. Ad. Manager, Crescent Hotel, Eureka Springs, Ark. (86)

WANTED—Robert Vincent, colored, to call at 2946 Easton av.

*Wanted First-Class Carpet Layer.*

Permanent position. Enterprise Carpet Cleaning Co., Easton and Pendleton.

WHEELROLLERS Wtd.—Apply 2800 De Kalb. (4)

WINDOW TRIMMER Wtd.—Experienced window trimmer for department store; must be familiar with dry goods; state experience. Ad. A 191, Post-Dispatch.

YOUNG MAN Wtd.—Familiar with furniture; splendid opportunity. Apply at once. Superintendent, Schaper Bros., Broadway.

YOUNG MEN Wtd.—About 18 years old, to operate passenger elevators and various other positions; must live at home. Superintendent, Schaper Bros., Broadway.

$36 WEEKLY to men with rigs to introduce poultry goods. Eureka Co., Wichita, Kan. (96)

### SHOEWORKERS WANTED.

14 Words, 20c.

ASSEMBLERS, ETC., Wtd.—Assemblers, pounders up and pullers-over, heeler on lighting machine. Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., Hickory st. factory. (89)

BOY Wtd.—For cutting room. Goodbar Shoe Co., Vandeventer and Laclede.

CUTTERS, ETC., Wtd.—Cutters, trimming cutter, lining cutter, boy to die out and young men to learn. Roberts, Johnson & Rand, Hickory st. factory. (96)

HEEL SCOURERS Wtd.—Heel scourers. The Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co., Union Factory, Jefferson and Randolph. (5)

NIGGERHEAD OPERATORS Wtd.—On ladies' fine welts. Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co., 21st and Locust sts. (7)

OPERATOR Wtd.—A first-class welt niggerhead operator. Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co., Union Factory, Jefferson and Randolph.

OPERATOR Wtd.—First-class nigger-head operator on men's welts. Wertheimer-Swartz Shoe Co. (5)

OPERATORS Wtd.—Niggerhead operators on women's fine welts. Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co., 21st and Locust. (7)

SHOEMAKER Wtd.—On repairing. 2303 Franklin av.

SHOECUTTERS Wtd.—On men's fine shoes. Courtney Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas. (5)

SHOEMAKERS Wtd.—Heel trimmers on men's fine shoes. Courtney Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas.

SHOE WORKERS Wtd.—Niggerhead operators and sole tackers on McKay. Roberts, Johnson & Rand, Hickory st. factory. (96)

SHOEMAKER Wtd.—First-class Goodyear insole channeler. Call Roberts, Johnson & Rand, 13th and Mullanphy. (5)

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SHOEMAKERS Wtd.—Lasters on McKay machines, cutters; steady job to right men, at once. Jordan Shoe Co., Belleville. (1)

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SALESMAN Wtd.—To canvas in city; good inducements for good hustler. 2731 Franklin. (1)

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SALESMEN Wtd.—Two first-class piano salesmen; first-class wages; reference required. Ad. N 39, Post-Dispatch. (7)

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SALESMEN Wtd.—At once, 5 special salesmen and 3 assistants to manage, advertise, conduct and supervise special sales; call at once. New York and St. Louis Consolidated Salvage Co., 445 Century bldg.

SALESMAN Wtd.—Man for manufacturing company, to travel and collect; $80 per month, expenses and commission; $25 cash and reference required; no books or jewelry; permanent to right man. Ad. P 158, Post-Dispatch. (4)

SALESMAN Wtd.—A good, honest, sober, hustling salesman, acquainted with city trade, to sell specialties; main specialty is kindred to lubricating oils, and sold where machinery is used; will pay small salary and large commission to right party. Ad. O 149, Post-Dispatch.

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14 Words, 20c.

AGENTS Wtd.—Either sex; make $10 per day on new ticket. Olive Studio, 720 Olive st. (5)

AGENTS Wtd.—Lady agents to canvass the E. Z. Sanitary Belts. Call 1610 Locust st., after 3 p. m.

AGENTS Wtd.—Anyone with large acquaintance, desiring to increase income, address N 98, Post-Dispatch. (7)

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14 Words, 20c.

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COOK Wtd.—Wages $20; Lindell 57; six adults in family. 4058 Lindell bl.

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COOK, ETC., Wtd.—At Webster Groves, cook and housemaid; colored; $18 and $15; Church av. and Suburban av. Mrs. Charles Branch.

COOK, ETC., Wtd.—Girl or middle-aged woman to cook and assist with housework in small family; no washing or ironing; good wages. 3101 Rauschenbach av.

DINING ROOM GIRL Wtd.—Wages $18. 2001 De Kalb st. (5)

DINING ROOM GIRL Wtd.—927 N. Sarah st., corner Suburban tracks.

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DISHWASHER Wtd.—Woman dishwasher for restaurant. 5 N. 19th st.

DISHWASHER Wtd.—Girl to wash dishes. The University Club, 607 N. Grand av.

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DISHWASHER Wtd.—Good woman dishwasher; $3 and room. 1307 Washington av.

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GIRL Wtd.—Dining room girl, 3154½ Easton av.

GIRL Wtd.—Girl for restaurant. 2016 Franklin.

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GIRL Wtd.—Dining room girl. 1426 Market st.

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GIRL Wtd.—For general housework, with or without washing. 4167 Morgan st.

GIRL Wtd.—10 or 12 years, for blind lady's guide or companion. Apply 906 Morgan st.

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GIRL Wtd.—Young girl, 18 or 20 years old, to assist in housework. 3871 Juniata.

GIRL Wtd.—First-class dining room girl; colored; at once. 2035 Park av.

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GIRLS Wtd.—For factory work; steady employment; good wages. Apply 1761 Menard st. (8)

GIRL Wtd.—Dining room girl; good wages, room and board. 2221 Olive st.

GIRLS Wtd.—To sew on power machines. Bry & Bro. Cloak Co., 10th and Lucas. (73)

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HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Experienced girl for general housework. 3132 Franklin av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework; with or without washing. 6157 Wagner av. (96)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good girl for housework; good wages and small family. 4268 Shenandoah av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework in small family; good wages. Apply 3227 Lucas.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good colored girl to help do housework. Apply 3336 Lucas av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework. 2603 De Kalb st. (6)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good housegirl; immediately. Martha Parsons Hospital, 3400 School st.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—White girl for general housework in small family. 4204 Page bl.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework, with references. 5123 Minerva av. (6)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework; 3 in family; good home and wages. 3633 Page bl.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework; $18; call at once. 5457 Von Versen av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—To do general housework; small family. 4221 West Pine bl. (8)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—To do general housework, cook, washing and ironing. 5135 Page bl. (6)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Neat German girl for general housework; family of two. 5587A Bartmer. (5)

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HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good German girl for general housework in family of two. 3129 Shenandoah. (5)

HOUSEWOMAN Wtd.—Good white woman for general housework. 3205 Lafayette av. (6)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good girl, for general housework. 3814 N. 11th st. (5)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework. 5224 Morgan st. (5)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—German girl to help with housework. 2241A Sullivan av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework; in small family. 1536 Lafayette av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Neat girl to assist with general housework; no washing. 5025 Kensington.

HOUSEMAN Wtd.—Colored preferred. 2212 Locust st.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Neat girl for general housework; good home and wages. 4434 Delmar bl.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for boarding house work; come at once. 2811 N. 9th st.

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HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework; small family. 5106 Westminster pl.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Neat girl or middle-aged woman for general housework; German preferred. 4612A Delmar bl. (7)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good German girl for general housework; small family; no laundry. 3134 Pine st. (5)

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HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Neat, clean colored girl to do general housework; no washing. 3422 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Colored girl for general housework; no laundry; come prepared to stay; references. 3816 Delmar bl.

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HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework; no washing; good pay to right party. 36 Nicholson pl. (7)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good, stout colored girl to assist in general housework; good wages. Call at 26 S. 14th st.

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HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Housegirl, colored, for general housework; small family; good home. 4723 Washington bl.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general work; small family; good wages. 748 Aubert av., block from King's highway and Delmar.

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HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework; no washing; small family; good wages. 5085 Minerva av. (5)

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HOUSEWOMAN Wtd.—Reliable colored woman for general housework; no laundry. 3128 Lawton av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework, washing and ironing put out. 5812 Von Versen av. (6)

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LAUNDRESS Wtd.—Laundress one day in week. 4332A Olive st.

LAUNDRESS Wtd.—First-class laundress, with references. 5314 Cabanne av. (5)

LAUNDRESS Wtd.—First-class laundress; references; steady place. 1162 N. Euclid.

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SCRUBWOMAN Wtd.—517 Olive st.

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VESTMAKERS Wtd.—To take work home. Apply Schwab Clothing Co., 1133 St. Charles. (7)

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WAITRESSES Wtd.—Barr's Cafe, 4th floor, 7th st. section.

WAITRESS Wtd.—Experienced waitress, at once. 1611 Franklin av.

WAITRESSES Wtd.—For Portland. Truitt's, 607 Market st.

WAITRESSES Wtd.—Two waitresses, in restaurant. 1915 Market st.

WAITRESSES Wtd.—Two waitresses, at once; $5 week. Barrow, 1525 Franklin.

WASHERWOMAN Wtd.—Woman to wash on Mondays. 1427 Missouri av.

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WOMAN Wtd.—Good white or colored woman for chamber work. 3536 Morgan.

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WOMAN Wtd.—Woman for pantry and chamber work. Restaurant, 204 N. 8th st.

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LAUNDRY HELP Wtd.—Starchers, sleevers and body ironers. Westminster Laundry Co., 4115 Olive st. (3)

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MANGLE GIRLS, ETC., Wtd.—At once, mangle girls, shirt finishers, bosom ironers, machine girls and waist ironers. The Monarch Laundry Co., 2719 Franklin av. (8)

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FRANKLIN AV., 2925—Clean and newly papered rooms for light housekeeping; bath and laundry.

FRANKLIN AV., 910—2 adjoining front rooms; suitable 6 gents; $1 week. (8)

FRANKLIN AV., 1219—Two connecting furnished rooms, water included; also front room.

FRANKLIN AV., 1112—Furnished single and housekeeping rooms; third floor. (7)

FRANKLIN AV., 3307—Nicely furnished rooms; housekeeping; bath; gas; $2 per week.

FRANKLIN AV., 1109—Neat, clean furnished single rooms; cool, clean office refined lady as manager. (6)

FRANKLIN AV., 2841—Nice, light, airy room, furnished for housekeeping; $2.50 per week; respectable people.

FRANKLIN AV., 3420—Near Grand; elegant double parlors, single or en suite; bath, gas, telephone; reasonable. (96)

FRANKLIN AV., 3428—Furnished connecting housekeeping rooms; also other rooms; cheap; gas, hot bath.

GARRISON AV., 618 N.—Handsomely furnished rooms, single or en suite; very reasonable.

GARRISON AV., 616A N.—Nicely furnished front room, with or without board; conveniences; ref.

GARRISON AV., 624A N.—Furnished rooms; single or en suite; all conveniences; cheap to those employed. (7)

GENTLEMAN wanting furnished front room will pay, calling Saturday, $7 monthly. 1412 Grattan st.

GRAND CENTRAL HOTEL—Jefferson and Pine; outside rooms, $1.50 to $7 week; free baths. (8)

GRAND AV., 19 N.—Furnished rooms, single or en suite; everything first-class; phone Lindell 1828. (1)

GRATIOT ST., 704—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; $1 per week; housekeeping. (8)

GRATIOT ST., 1716A—Two large, light unfurnished rooms, with bath; all conveniences; $9 per month. (7)

GRATTAN ST., 1116—2d-floor front room; light housekeeping; icebox, gas range, bath.

HICKORY ST., 1618—Three rooms, first floor, $11.

HOTEL LANGE, $2 TO $7 PER WEEK. 1505 Market; hot water, free baths; sunny rooms; new furniture; downstairs sitting room. (8)

KENNETT PL., 1820—Large second-story front, near Lafayette Park; two or four; reasonable.

LACLEDE AV., 3335—Three rooms for light housekeeping; single or en suite; gas and bath.

LACLEDE AV., 4823—Pleasant room, with or without board; also rooms for housekeeping; reasonable. (6)

LACLEDE AV., 3189—Nicely furnished front parlor for light housekeeping; all conveniences; southern exposure.

LACLEDE AV., 3438—Neatly furnished rooms, single or connecting, for light housekeeping; reasonable.

LACLEDE AV., 2911—Large second-floor back furnished housekeeping or sleeping room, $2.25 week; laundry, bath. (6)

LAFAYETTE AV., 2621—Neatly furnished hall room in private family; gentlemen only; very reasonable. (2)

LAWTON AV., 2831—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, $2 and $2.50 per week, also hall room (5)

LAWTON AV., 3037—Two unfurnished front rooms; 1st floor; large and light; references required.

LAWTON AV., 3010—Nice large front room with alcove and connecting rooms; also other rooms; neatly furnished; all conveniences; privilege of housekeeping; reasonable.

LINCOLN AV., 4006—Large front room furnished or unfurnished for housekeeping; private family; cheap. (5)

LOCUST ST., 2300—Newly decorated rooms; they are clean; hall room; housekeeping; gas stove.

LOCUST ST., 3020—Newly furnished rooms; gas, hot bath; $2 to $2.50 per week.

### ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY.
14 Words, 10c.

LOCUST ST., 2215—Second-floor front light housekeeping room and one small room.

LOCUST ST., 2808—Newly papered and decorated rooms; price reasonable; hot bath.

LOCUST ST., 2821—Elegantly furnished room, hot bath and all conveniences; reasonable. (3)

LOCUST ST., 3147—Neatly furnished 2d-floor front room; southern exposure; also other rooms; telephone 1965D.

LOCUST ST., 2307—Newly furnished rooms, detached house, electric light, cool and bright; summer prices. (6)

LUCAS AV., 3334—Neatly furnished front and other rooms. (5)

LUCAS AV., 3126—Desirable rooms, with bath; hot water in rooms; reasonable; telephone Kinloch D135. (8)

LUCAS AV., 3439—Handsomely furnished front room; every modern convenience; strictly first-class home. (96)

LUCAS AV., 3224—First and second floor front rooms, nicely furnished; other rooms, for housekeeping; all conveniences. (7)

LUCAS AV., 3225—Ladies employed; nice cool rooms, complete for light housekeeping; $1 to $2.50.

McMILLAN AV., 4542—Newly furnished suite of rooms; private family; west of Taylor. Ad. K 99, Post-Dispatch.

MAFFITT AV., 3922A—Elegantly furnished front room; gentlemen or couple; call after 6 p. m. (5)

MAFFITT AV., 3846—Two nicely furnished rooms, light housekeeping; modern; reasonable. (5)

MARKET ST., 410 AND 412—Newly furnished rooms, by the day or week; prices to suit; free bath; opposite Courthouse. (6)

MORGAN ST., 4066—Nicely furnished rooms; modern conveniences.

MORGAN ST., 3204—Elegantly furnished front room for two gentlemen; reasonable.

MORGAN ST., 4106—Nice large front room, with alcove; modern and reasonable; large yard. (7)

MORGAN ST., 2809—Connecting first and second floor rooms, completely furnished for housekeeping; piano; also single rooms.

MORGAN ST., 3214—One or two connecting rooms, furnished for housekeeping; gas range, phone; own property. (8)

MORGAN ST., 3130—Furnished 2d story front also other rooms; hot bath. Kin. Phone, C1930. (6)

MORGAN ST., 4063—Neatly furnished large room; convenient; for gentlemen or housekeeping; also small rooms.

MORGAN ST., 2825—Furnished front hall room; southern exposure; hot bath, gas range; $1.50 week.

MORGAN ST., 3909—Nicely furnished front and back rooms for gentlemen, couples or ladies employed.

MORGAN ST., 4065—You can have your choice of several newly furnished rooms if call at once; single or en suite.

MORGAN ST., 2903—Elaborately furnished rooms, all conveniences; excellent car service; inspection invited. (6)

NORTH PARK PL., 1410—Completely furnished rooms; alcove; housekeeping or gentlemen; southern exposure; bath. (8)

OLIVE ST., 2915—Newly furnished rooms. (7)

OLIVE ST., 2825—Large, light, cool rooms, $1.50 up; day or week; gentlemen or couple.

OLIVE ST., 2117—Basement rooms; will take rent out in laundry work.

OLIVE ST., 2344A—Nicely furnished front rooms; bath and gas; reasonable. (7)

OLIVE ST., 2305—Furnished rooms for gentlemen or housekeeping.

OLIVE ST., 2801—5 large rooms, furnished or unfurnished; second floor. (8)

PAGE BL., 5108—Newly furnished front room, all conveniences; private family; no other boarders.

PAGE BL., 4604—Two neat second-story; can connect; bath; every attention; good car facilities. (7)

PAPIN ST., 1506—Newly papered rooms, furnished for housekeeping; also sleeping rooms. (7)

PARK AV., 1705—Two large unfurnished rooms, small family; no children; side entrance; rear.

PINE ST., 2601—Nice, large, airy rooms; hot water, gas; all car lines. (7)

PINE ST., 2817—Elegant furnished rooms for rent, $1.50 a week up. (7)

PINE ST., 2038—Separate or en suite; beautiful sunny front rooms; complete for housekeeping; $2, $3, $4 and $5 week; laundry.

PINE ST., 3529—Elegantly furnished second-story front room; gas, bath; also side room; reasonable.

PINE ST., 3420—Lovely furnished second-story room; southern exposure; all conveniences; terms reasonable. (7)

PINE ST., 3009—Newly furnished rooms, for persons who can appreciate neat, clean place; prices ranging from $1.50 week up. (6)

RANDOLPH ST., 2220—Large unfurnished front room; $5 month.

ROOMS—For gentlemen or couples; every convenience; phone Beaumont 398M. (7)

ROOMS—Wanted, 100 men to occupy new, clean rooms at the Francis, 114½ N. Broadway; 15c to 25c; $1 and up per week. (8)

ROOM—Want railroad man to occupy lovely 2d-story south front room; near Grand and Lucas; June 1; $5 week. Ad. P 94, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM—Want young lady employed to occupy small clean room; near Grand and Lucas; June 1; $2 a week. Ad. P 91, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM—One or two gentlemen can secure a delightful room in private home, where you can rest, near Hamilton and Suburban; large yard, shade, flowers, private bath, toilet and stationary washstand. Ad. H 49, Post-Dispatch. (80)

RUTGER ST., 1826—Two furnished front connecting rooms, for light housekeeping; 2d floor. (6)

SIXTEENTH ST., 1439½ N.—Two connecting housekeeping rooms, furnished; refrigerator, water, etc.; reasonable; couple. (5)

SIXTH ST., 1401 N.—Rooms for housekeeping, gentlemen or baching; $1.50.

SOULARD ST., 1016—Neatly furnished front room for light housekeeping. (7)

SPRING AV., 26 N.—Nicely furnished room, for housekeeping; $3 week; gas stove; hot bath. (5)

SUBURBAN AV., 6146—Two elegantly furnished rooms; all conveniences; 4 gentlemen or couple; board if desired; nice yard; half block from Suburban main line car; two blocks from Olive. (2)

TAYLOR AV., 909—Two unfurnished back connecting rooms.

TAYLOR AV., 425 N. (corner Westminster pl.)—Furnished rooms, large and small. (7)

TENTH ST., 1808 S.—Two rooms in rear, $7. Inquire upstairs.

TENTH ST., 1723 N.—Neatly furnished front room, also one room for housekeeping.

TEXAS AV., 3257A—Furnished front room; all conveniences; gentleman or ladies; cheap to right party.

THERESA AV., 511 N.—Two connecting rooms, for light housekeeping, $3 per week; gas, bath. (6)

THIRD ST., 1029 N.—Furnished rooms, $1; light housekeeping, $1.50 per week. (7)

TWENTIETH ST., 814 N.—10 neatly furnished rooms; light housekeeping; $1.50, $2 each. (7)

UNION AV., 1519A—Lovely front room for gentlemen or ladies employed; all conveniences; everything new; $37 for two; corner house.

VANDEVENTER AV., 518½ N.—Furnished southern-exposed room for housekeeping; modern conveniences; Olive cars; reasonable.

VICTOR ST., 1229½—Nicely furnished room, hot and cold bath, gas; breakfast if desired. (7)

WASH ST., 1611—Second-story front, furnished for housekeeping; southern exposure.

WASH ST., 2301—Furnished rooms for ladies or gentlemen, $1.25 to $1.50 each; light housekeeping. (5)

WASHINGTON AV., 1508—Large room, southern exposure; $2.50; also housekeeping rooms.

WASHINGTON AV., 2902—Nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences; private family. (2)

WASHINGTON AV., 1637—Clean furnished rooms; single and housekeeping; hot bath privilege. (5)

WASHINGTON AV., 2703—Neatly furnished rooms; all conveniences; $2 weekly; suitable for two. (6)

WASHINGTON AV., 2810—Nicely furnished rooms, for gentlemen or housekeeping; also hall room; reasonable.

WASHINGTON BL., 3908—Neatly furnished 2nd floor room, suitable for 2; all conveniences. Reasonable. (5)

WASHINGTON AV., 2818—Neatly furnished front parlor hall room; room for housekeeping; southern exposure; $2.50.

WASHINGTON BL., 3960—Suite of rooms; all conveniences; telephone; two hot baths; suitable for gentlemen. (7)

WASHINGTON AV., 3215—Two furnished rooms for housekeeping; single or en suite; gas range; also hall room.

WASHINGTON AV., 1627—Two large connecting rooms, 1st floor; water in room; housekeeping; $4.

WASHINGTON AV., 3100—Nicely furnished rooms, southern exposure; hot bath; all conveniences; reasonable.

WASHINGTON AV., 2622—Walking distance from Union Station; clean rooms, hot bath; by week; your own price; elegant parlor, vacant.

WASHINGTON AV., 3305—Choice second-story front room; housekeeping; gas stove; bath; everything clean; southern exposure; $2.75 per week; others $1.75.

### ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY.
14 Words, 10c.

WASHINGTON BL., 3913—Two unfurnished rooms, with bath, $8.

WASHINGTON AV., 3039—Nicely furnished newly papered southern-exposed second-story front room; suitable for three or four gentlemen or couple.

WEST BELLE PL., 4256—Nicely furnished room; hot bath; $2.50 week up; breakfast if desired.

WEST BELLE PL., 4216—Two nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences; private family. (7)

WEST BELLE PL., 4052—Two nice single rooms; convenient location; desirable, modern; reasonable rates.

WEST BELLE PL., 4324—Nicely furnished rooms, single or en suite; bath; Suburban, Olive and Washington cars.

WEST PINE BL., 4103—Second-story front room; southern exposure; single room for gent; reas. (5)

WEST PINE BL., 3854—Beautiful front room; telephone; conveniences. (7)

WHITTIER ST., 1019—Nicely furnished front room; all conveniences; private family; phone Delmar 1938. (7)

WINDSOR PL., 3872—Neatly furnished room and bath; also 2 unfurnished; cheap; private family.

#### For Colored People.

MILLS ST., 2710—Nicely furnished room; private family; one gentleman; no other roomers; 1st floor. (5)

WEST BELLE PL., 4217—Two large rooms, cheap, furnished or unfurnished.

### ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY.
14 Words, 10c.

ARMSTRONG AV., 1117—Second-floor front room with board; $4 up; near Lafayette Park; conveniences. (2)

BAYARD AV., 751—Two pleasant front rooms; excellent board; gentlemen or ladies employed; reasonable. (7)

BELL AV., 3511—Large 2d-story south alcove front room; private family; board optional.

CHOUTEAU AV., 2758—Five clean furnished rooms; convenient to day board. (5)

CLARKSON PL., 810—Rooms and board in Scotch family; on Suburban car line; near Vandeventer. (96)

COOK AV., 4239—Nicely furnished room; good board; reasonable rates; private family. (6)

COOK AV., 3832—Large 2d and 3d story front rooms, modern conveniences, good home cooking. (5)

COOK AV., 3621—Newly furnished rooms, with board; modern conveniences; private family; reasonable. (5)

COOK AV., 3685—Beautiful connecting rooms, in private family, with or without board; gentlemen. (7)

DELMAR BL., 4116—Newly furnished rooms; best board; gentlemen or couple; all convs.

DELMAR BL., 3820—Large, nicely furnished room for 2 or 3 gents; with good board. (7)

DELMAR BL., 3837—Nicely furnished rooms with board; table boarders; phone Lindell 2609. (1)

DELMAR BL., 3820—Nicely furnished 2d-floor front room; excellent board; reasonable. (1)

DELMAR BL., 3897—Desirable room, with first-class board; all conveniences; for gentlemen.

DELMAR BL., 3817—Room with board; best service; private home. Lindell 359. (5)

DELMAR BL., 4247—Nicely furnished southern exposed room and board, for one or two gentlemen. (5)

DELMAR BL., 3922—Refined home, with board for business people; newly furnished; Lindell 1394.

DELMAR BL., 3894—Pleasant, desirable rooms, with board; all conveniences; phone Lindell 1898.

DELMAR BL., 5017—Nicely furnished rooms, with board; electric lights, baths, hotel accommodations; reasonable rates. (3)

DELMAR BL., 5181-85—Newly furnished rooms, with bath and phone; a friendly home and grand location; you will find best the market affords on our tables; rates low. (1)

DICKSON ST., 2418—Furnished rooms, with board or for housekeeping; private family; conveniences; reasonable. (7)

EADS AV., 2624—Elegantly furnished room and board; private family.

EADS AV., 2831—Rooms, for ladies or gents, with board; private family; South Side. (5)

FINNEY AV., 3937—One nice, cool room and board; $4 per week. (7)

FINNEY AV., 3826—Nicely furnished adjoining rooms; with or without board; private family; investigate. (5)

FRANKLIN AV., 3504—Elegantly furnished, cool rooms, five windows; large lawn; first-class accommodations; private family. (4)

GRAND AV., 1205 N.—Neatly furnished room and excellent board, for 2. (1)

HICKORY ST., 1804—Nice, clean rooms, with or without board, for two gentlemen; first-class board, by week or day; hot bath. (6)

JEFFERSON AV., 2329 S.—Room and board, for two young ladies employed; $3.50 to $4 per week. (6)

KENNETT PL., 1802—Large room on second floor, with board; private family.

LACLEDE AV., 4303A—Nicely furnished 2-story front and back parlor; good board; hot bath. (77)

LAFAYETTE AV., 2004—Opposite park; nicely furnished rooms, with or without board; reasonable; phone Sidney 1081M.

LEONARD AV., 1152—Pleasant furnished room for 1 or 2 gents; breakfast if desired; pri. fam. (5)

LOCUST ST., 3144—Fine light room, for 3 gentlemen, with board; $4 per week. (5)

LUCAS AV., 3517—Hawley's have desirable room and board; reasonable price. (1)

LUCAS AV., 2927—Neatly furnished rooms, with or without board; hot bath; gas; no children.

LUCAS AV., 2825—Nice, comfortable room, with board; private German family; very cheap. (6)

LUCAS AV., 3030—Nicely furnished rooms; hot bath; good board; moderate rates. (5)

LUCAS AV., 3008—Nicely furnished room, with first-class board, for two gentlemen, at $4.50 per week; bath, Tel. Kinloch 1217C.

LUCAS AV., 3217—Newly furnished second-story front room; southern exposure; with good board; for gentlemen; $5 per week.

LUCKY ST., 4320—Furnished rooms; board optional; furnished for housekeeping if desired.

McMILLAN AV., 4557A—One pleasant room, with board; private family; west of Taylor; all comforts. (7)

MAPLE AV., 5641—Modern home; southern exposure; excellent table; good cooking; 3 car Dispatch. (6)

MARYLAND AV., 4119—Nicely furnished second-story front room, southern exposure, suitable for 2 gents or couple, 1 single room, excellent board; very desirable; reasonable. (6)

MARYLAND AV., 4101—Neatly furnished room, with or without board; reasonable. Lindell 1711.

MARYLAND AV., 4361A-4363A—Well-furnished rooms; southern exposure; newly decorated; two bath rooms, hot water at all times; first-class table; all conveniences; phone; rates reasonable; Maryland av. cars (Olive line) direct. (1)

MISSISSIPPI AV., 1712—German family wants roomers; with or without board. (8)

MISSISSIPPI AV., 1536—Nicely furnished room with board. (6)

MISSISSIPPI AV., 1018—Room and board for 1 or 2 gentlemen; hot bath and gas; $4 per week each.

MISSOURI AV., 1615—Pleasant second-story room with board; opposite Lafayette Park; refs. (6)

MISSOURI AV., 1740—Large, cool room, with board, for gentlemen or ladies employed; private family. (7)

MORGAN ST., 4000—Rooms with board; modern conveniences; large yard; reasonable. (7)

MORGAN ST., 3536—Corner Grand and Morgan; good boarding house. (6)

MORGAN ST., 2125—Good board and room, $4; front room and board, $4.50. (6)

MORGAN ST., 5066A—New room; south breeze; telephone; good board; gentlemen preferred; references required. (6)

OLIVE ST., 4127—Furnished rooms with board for ladies and gentlemen employed. (5)

OREGON AV., 1709—Neatly furnished second-story front; board; all conveniences; near Lafayette Park.

PAGE AV., 5119—Pleasant 2d floor front south room, single or suite, with good board. (7)

PAGE BL., 4958—Furnished room, with or without board, for 2 men; all conveniences. (2)

PAGE BL., 4720—Nicely furnished rooms, with first-class board; $5 a week; modern.

PAGE BL., 3539—Furnished rooms, with or without board; gas, hot bath.

PAGE BL., 5132—Nicely furnished rooms; good table service; gentlemen or ladies employed; reasonable. (89)

PAGE BL., 3932—Newly papered rooms; beautifully furnished; best board; bath, parlor, piano; genteel.

PAGE BL., 3840—Newly furnished room; private family; choice location; board optional; table 1st-class. (1)

PARK AV., 2233—Lovely second-story front and other rooms, newly furnished; southern and eastern exposure; with excellent board; hot bath; every convenience; reasonable; phone Sidney 1061M.

PINE ST., 3123—Board, $4 to $5 weekly; bath, gas, phone, piano, parlor; home cooking. (7)

### ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY.
14 Words, 10c.

PINE ST., 3335—Well furnished rooms, single or en suite; southern exposure, with or without board; references. (8)

ROOM AND BOARD—Single room for gentlemen; private family; near Hamilton Hotel. Phone Forest 2741.

ROOM AND BOARD—Large 2d-story front room; south and east exposure; excellent meals, for 2, $9 a week; small private family; northwestern part. Ad. K 91, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD—Refined young couple, nice home; will board couple or two gentlemen; $40 month; every convenience. Ad. O 133, Post-Dispatch. (5)

ROOMS AND BOARD—Nice southern-exposed rooms with board; bath, phone and every convenience; 4300 west; near Olive; $4.50 and $5 per week for ladies employed. Ad. O 134, Post-Dispatch. (5)

ROOM AND BOARD—Front room with alcove, nicely furnished; every convenience; good board; reasonable terms to homelike, refined people; vicinity 42d and Lindell; also connecting room for two gentlemen or couple. Ad. O 136, Post-Dispatch. (6)

SPRING AV., 11 N.—Nicely furnished rooms; modern conveniences; good table; reas. (6)

THOMAS ST., 2901—Well-furnished room, with board; modern conveniences; $8 week for two.

TWELFTH ST., 1500 S.—Furnished rooms, with or without board; German family.

VAIL PL., 1537—Furnished room, with or without board; private family. (7)

VERNON AV., 5081—Neatly furnished room; southern exposure; first-class table.

VON VERSEN AV., 5784—Southern exposed, newly furnished and decorated rooms, with board; cool, most desirable for summer; yard, trees, convenient; reasonable. (6)

WALTON AV., 915—Cool front and back rooms, second floor, with board; conveniences; reas. (6)

WASHINGTON BL., 4301—Two desirable rooms excellent home table; couple or gentlemen. (5)

WASHINGTON AV., 3107—Large rooms, good board, south window, suitable for 2. (7)

WASHINGTON BL., 4185—Rooms and board; telephone and all modern conveniences; also day board. (5)

WASHINGTON AV., 3422—Nicely furnished rooms and board, $5 per week; all conveniences. (7)

WASHINGTON BL., 3969—Southern exposed room; excellent board; 2 bathrooms; Bell phone. (6)

WASHINGTON BL., 4612—Two connecting front rooms for 2 or 4 gentlemen, with board, $20 per month each. (5)

WASHINGTON AV., 3131—First-class rooms and board; southern exposure; telephone, bath, etc.; all conveniences. (8)

WASHINGTON BL., 3719—Handsomely furnished front room; fine table; lawns and porches; references. (7)

WASHINGTON BL., 4029—Large 2d-story room; hot and cold bath; all conveniences; exceptional table; for couple or single gentlemen; private family; elegant home; reasonable; Lindell 1101.

WASHINGTON BL., 4029—Large second-story room, hot and cold bath; all conveniences; excellent table; for couple or single gentlemen; private family; elegant home; reasonable; Lindell 1101.

WEST BELLE PL., 4100—Beautiful 2d-floor rooms, board; single room; lowest rates; Delmar 1888R.

WEST BELLE PL., 4064—Newly furnished rooms, 2d and 3d story; excellent table; reasonable.

WEST BELLE PL., 4060—Room and board; second floor front room; pleasant home.

WEST BELLE PL., 4478—Very desirable 2d-story room; board optional; all conveniences.

WEST BELLE PL., 4476—Desirable room; also single room; first-class accommodations; board optional. (7)

WEST BELLE PL., 4436—Second-story front room, $40, with board for two; single room for $4.

WEST PINE BL., 3732—Two handsomely furnished rooms, with board. (7)

WHITTIER ST., 1118—Large, pleasant room, newly furnished; all conveniences; board optional.

**PARK HOTEL (WAS EPWORTH)**

6600 Washington bl., $1.50 a week up; meals 20c up; trunks hauled free; 36 private baths; steam heat, hot water, free baths; safe, new brick building; finest view of the city; banquets on short notice. (8)

### HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.
14 Words, 20c.

BASEMENT Wtd.—To rent a basement. Ad. K 81, Post-Dispatch.

COTTAGE Wtd.—Three or four-room cottage, about $12 to $15 rent. Ad. P 87, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—3 or 4 rooms, with bath; not to exceed $20 or $25. O. Suttmiller, 3532 Lawton.

FLAT Wtd.—3 rooms and bath; west of California; between Russell and Magnolia avs. W. T., 2239 S Grand.

FLATS Wtd.—About June 15, upper and lower flats of 3 to 6 rooms each, on South Side; will lease for one or two years. Ad. O 25, Post-Dis. (7)

FLAT Wtd.—Four rooms; hot and cold water bath; location Grand, Park, Missouri, Armand; $20 to $22; young married couple; references. Ad. P 156, Post-Dispatch. (7)

ROOM Wtd.—Unfurnished room for colored. 4279 Duncan av.

ROOMS Wtd.—Three or four unfurnished rooms in home of owner; must be central west; state price and full particulars; best of references furnished. Ad. P 95, Post-Dispatch. (7)

### FURNISHED FLATS WANTED.

FURNISHED FLAT Wtd.—3 or 4 rooms; gas range, bath; permanent; not over $20. Ad. P 92, Post-Dispatch.

FURNISHED FLAT Wtd.—Furnished flat, 5 rooms; West End preferred; modern improvements. Ad. O 148, Post-Dispatch.

### ROOMMATES WANTED.
14 Words, 20c.

ROOMMATE Wtd.—Lady roommate. Ad. P 155, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMMATE Wtd.—Nice clean rooms; lady and gentlemen roommate wanted; nice quiet place. 3141 Washington av.

ROOMMATE Wtd.—Young lady wants roommate; lovely, bright room; terms reasonable; references exchanged. 3420 Pine st.

### FURNISHED HOUSES WANTED.
14 Words, 20c

HOUSE Wtd.—Furnished house, near Grand av.; would buy if reasonable. 3107 Lucas.

FURNISHED HOUSE Wtd.—House or flat, nicely furnished; reasonable; state price and all particulars. W. P. G., 3829 Morgan st.

### COUNTRY BOARD.

COUNTRY BOARD—Widow with lovely country home desires care of small children; references. 1300 Webster av.

VISIT or write The Woodland Home, Hillsboro, Ill., before making arrangements for the summer. (8)

### FURNISHED FLATS FOR RENT
14 Words, 20c

COMPTON AV., 4636 S.—Furnished flat of three rooms and bath, gas; reasonable. (5)

FINNEY AV., 4052A—Lady will share her furnished flat with quiet couple or ladies employed.

FURNISHED FLAT—Beautifully furnished 4-room flat; bath, gas, every modern convenience; large yard; reasonable. Call 4324 North Market.

FURNISHED FLAT—To refined married couple of financial responsibility, elegantly furnished flat; West End; only $40½ answer quickly. Ad. O, 153, Post-Dispatch.

GLASGOW AV., 1109—Two beautiful connecting rooms, completely furnished for housekeeping; refrigerator, gas, bath; $3.50.

GRAND AV., 3518—Elegantly furnished four-room flat; all conveniences; rent reasonable to couple.

PAGE BL., 4381—Modern 5-room, completely furnished flat till Sept. 1, to responsible party; references.

PINE ST., 2928—Furnished flat of 3 rooms; 2d floor.

### FURNISHED HOUSES FOR RENT.

FURNISHED HOUSE—Seven rooms, completely furnished, electric light, telephone, large yard, fruit. Inquire drug store, Old Orchard. (8)

FURNISHED HOUSE—10-room furnished house in Cabanne; large yard; for 3 months; to responsible party. Ad. P 74, Post-Dis. (96)

FURNISHED HOUSE—For the summer, well furnished house; 11 rooms; Washington, near King's highway. Postoffice drawer 82. (96)

GARRISON AV., 624A N.—Elegantly furnished 8-room flat; privilege roomers and boarders; very reasonable. (7)

### HOTELS AND SELECT APARTMENTS
14 Words, 20c.

OLIVE ST., 1295—A few nicely furnished apartments, at reasonable prices. Pechmann's Hotel. (8)

### DWELLINGS FOR RENT.
14 Words, 20c.

BELL AV., 3040—Corner house, four rooms and bath; $15; good location.

BLAINE AV., 4231—Six rooms, bath, laundry, yard; $27.50. Herrmann, 1127 Chestnut. (6)

CHANNING AV., 1102—6 rooms, bath, laundry, stable, large yard; $30. (2)

CHANNING AV., 313—Choice 6-room modern house; all conveniences; rent $25; key at 317 Channing. Nicholls-Ritter, 713 Chestnut st. (15)

HOUSE—Modern nine-room house; West End; telephone Kinloch C2010 or ad. P 157, Post-Dis.

HOUSE—10-room Lindell bl. home, completely furnished; large yard; electric light; complete in every way. For card of admission apply to Mississippi Valley Trust Co., 4th and Pine sts. (8)

LAMI ST., 1915—Seven rooms; bath, laundry, etc.; $27.50. (6)

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MAPLE AV., 5546—9 rooms, bath, furnace. Hy. Hiemenz Realty Co., 614 Chestnut. (8)

MARCUS AV., 1704—8-room house; furnace, chandeliers, screens; nice place; key next door. (5)

MORGAN ST., 3902—9-room dwelling, reception hall, furnace, in first-class repair; large yard; $50 Bradley & Quinette, 715 Chestnut st. (8)

PINE ST., 2129—14 rooms, two baths, laundry, furnace; cheap rent. Herrmann, 1127 Chestnut st. (6)

SCHOOL ST., 3409—Six-room brick dwelling; modern conveniences; $27.50. Parker, 705 Chestnut st. (6)

TENNESSEE AV., 4617—Cottage, 4 rooms and bath, laundry, $20 per month. (5)

### SUBURBAN BOARD WANTED

SUBURBAN BOARD Wtd.—Board and room by lady and 2 daughters, age 13; shade and home comforts; no rooming house. Ad. K 80, P.-D.

### FLATS FOR RENT.
14 Words, 20c.

BACON ST., 1585A—Four rooms, hot bath, screens, awnings, gas range, fixtures, $25. Keys 1533 Bacon st.

BELL AV., 3823—Four rooms, bath, gas, laundry; newly decorated; upstairs; rent $17; open.

BERNARD ST., 2655—First-floor modern flat; four rooms, hall, gas, bath; hot water.

BLACKSTONE AV., 1381A—Elegant 5-room flat; all conveniences; reasonable; Page or Easton cars. (7)

CLIFTON PL., 3143—Three-room flat, $13.50; open; 2 blocks from Grand and Easton.

COOK AV., 4734—Five rooms, fixtured, modern, $27.50. Dyas-Pumphrey, 107 N. 9th st.

COOK AV., 4320—6 and 10-room apartment; steam heat; gas range; janitor service. (7)

DELMAR BL., 5040 to 5060—Modern 6-room apartments; ready for occupancy; decorated to suit; every conv. Vrooman & Co., 8¼ N. 8th. (8)

EVANS AV., 4054A—Four rooms and bath, $20. Dyas-Pumphrey, 107 N. 9th st.

ELMBANK AV., 4448A—Five rooms, modern, $24. Dyas-Pumphrey, 107 N. 9th st.

FAIRMOUNT AV., 5038A—6-room flat, gas stove, fixtures, water heater, screens, shades and furnace; open. (8)

FLATS—West End flats, $15, $18, $25, $27.50, $30 and one 10-room residence, $50 month. L. J. Brooks R. E. Co., 405 Security building. (1)

GARFIELD AV., 4544—6 rooms, gas, bath, laundry, etc.; rent $20. Mississippi Valley Trust Co., 4th and Pine sts. (65)

GOODFELLOW AV., 1423A—Modern 5-room flat; gas fixtures, screens and shades; rent $26. (7)

GOODFELLOW AV., 1364A—Modern 6-room flat, bath, gas, gas fixtures, screens, hot and cold water, furnace, etc.; rent $26. Dougherty, 1013 Chestnut st. (8)

HEBERT ST., 1935—Three rooms, first floor; rent $12; adults only.

LAWTON AV., 3528—Unfurnished flat, 3d floor, 3 rooms and hall, with water on floor.

LUCKY ST., 3617—Four rooms; near Grand; P. T. Madden & Co., 3512 Easton av. (8)

MANCHESTER AV., 3349—6 rooms, bath, laundry and fine yard; $25. (6)

MARCUS AV., 2704A—5 rooms, modern, $24. Dyas-Pumphrey, 107 N. 9th st.

MONTGOMERY ST., 2317—Four rooms, hall and bath; rent $22.50; inquire 2d floor or 2752 Arsenal st.

NEBRASKA AV., 2658—Five rooms; all conveniences. Key Dr. Buck, 2610 S. Jefferson av. (5)

NEWSTEAD AV., 242 S.—Six rooms, fixtured, modern; $27.50. Dyas-Pumphrey, 107 N. 9th st.

NORTH MARKET ST., 3109 N.—Three rooms; rent $14. P. T. Madden & Co., 3512 Easton. (8)

ST. ANGE AV., 1311—Nice three-room flat for housekeeping; gas range; bath; laundry; single room.

SHAW AV., 3848—2d floor; 5 rooms, bath, furnace. Hy. Hiemenz Realty Co., 614 Chestnut st. (8)

TWENTY-FIRST ST., 315 S.—Nice 4-room flat, hall, water, gas, 2d floor; $15.

VERNON AV., 4642A—Six rooms, bath and furnace; $27.50. (6)

WALTON AV., 526—Five rooms, steam heat and janitor. Dyas-Pumphrey, 107 N. 9th st.

WELLS AV., 5320A—Five rooms; all modern conveniences; convenient to Suburban and other cars; decorated to suit tenant; rent $28; key on 1st floor.

WEST BELLE PL., 4344—Six rooms, modern, hot-water heat; janitor. Dyas-Pumphrey, 107 N. 9th.

WEST BELLE PL., 4157A—Newly papered 7-room flat; janitor service. Owner, 5023A Wells av. (6)

### SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR RENT

FURNISHED HOUSE—9-room furnished house; cow, chickens; convenient to every car. 218 Gore av., Webster Groves. (6)

### TO LET FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES

BOOTBLACK STAND and place for fruit stand or florist. 316 Olive st.

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EASTON AV., 4664—Small store. Apply at the Century Laundry Co., 4666 Easton av. (8)

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FLOORS—1, 2 or 3 floors, elevator service and steam heat; specially adapted for light mfg. or sample rooms. Menter & Rosenbloom Co., 417 Washington av. (8)

LACLEDE AV., 2802—Two nice stores; plate glass front in first-class order; cheap rent. (5)

MARKET ST., 1412—Large store, 16x60 feet. Stephen Peck, 604 Commercial bldg. (4)

OLIVE ST., 1512—Large front room, suitable for office, repair shop or any business.

PAWNBROKER'S LOCATION—We have for rent a first-class Olive st. location for a pawnbroker, now occupied by a pawnbroker; rent $90 per month. John McMenamy Invst. & R. E. Co., 3139 Easton av.

RESTAURANT—First-class restaurant with steady boarders. Ad. N 9, Post-Dispatch. (7)

SHERIDAN AV., 3028—2 connecting parlor rooms; modern improvements; reasonable; suitable for doctor. (7)

STORES—Olive and Cardinal, at a bargain; $16. Scott & Farrar, 715 Chestnut st. (5)

### MEDICAL
14 Words, 20c.

NOTICE TO LADIES—I have what every one wants; that is, a safe, reliable cure; inclose $1 for receipt. Ad. Mrs. J., 3702 North Market st. St. Louis, Mo. (5)

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GOLD, silver and nickel plating in all its branches; repairing old silverware a specialty. Gustave M. Krause, 617 Pine st., 2d floor. (60)

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CASH paid for complete jewelry stores. L. Blumenkranz & Co., 512 Franklin av. (8)

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THERE IS NO EXCUSE IF YOU CARRY A poor watch. We sell the finest Elgins and Walthams on as small a first payment as $1 and you can pay the balance at the rate of $1 per week. Your account will be welcome.
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Winners of the Highest Award at the Exposition. (6)

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AAI ROOMS papered, $2 up; cleaned, 50c up. J. D. Horn, 2807 Wash st.; phone 1323D. (7)

GENERAL Compressed Air House-Cleaning Co., 3933 Olive st., 3 phones; best service in city. (8)

WALLPAPER CLEANED—$1.00 a room; satisfaction guaranteed. Add. Phillips, 2916 N. 20th st. (6)

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14 Words, 20c.

BARBER SHOP—Heart downtown; price $750; half cash; cost $2000; very elegant; taken under mortgage; it is certainly an opportunity of lifetime. MISSOURI REALTY CO., 110 N. 9th st.

CHINA AND GLASSWARE STORE—For sale, a small china and glassware store. 2714 Chouteau.

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CONFECTIONERY Wtd.—For widow, with invalid daughter; must have living rooms; have ready cash. Ad. O 15, Post-Dispatch.

CONFECTIONERY—Splendid business corner; near large factories; 2 nice rooms, yard and stable; fine stock and fixtures; price $350; owner leaving city. MISSOURI REALTY CO., 110 N. 9th st.

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DAIRY—For sale, small dairy in suburban town; business established and growing; good-paying route. Joseph Hildebrand, box 344 Valley Park, Mo. (56)

DYE WORKS—For sale, steam dye works, with all new improvements; doing good business; call 1425 Cass av. (6)

FRUIT, ICE CREAM, CANDY AND CIGAR STORE FOR SALE; FIRST-CLASS BUSINESS AND LOCATION. 1143 OLIVE ST.

GROCERY—For sale, grocery. For particulars call 2801 Sheridan, after 6 p. m. or Sunday.

GROCERY AND MEATS—Good corner; income $40 day; rent $30; owner going West; price $1600; terms; good horse and wagon. MISSOURI REALTY CO., 110 N. 9th st.

ICE CREAM PARLOR—For sale, on account of sickness. Call 2108 Franklin. (7)

MEAT MARKET, ETC.—For sale, meat and vegetable market; good cash trade; or will take partner. Inquire 2903 Chouteau av. (6)

PHARMACY—For sale, pharmacy, located in central West End, doing thriving business; will stand investigation; poor health reason for selling. See E. A. Kuhn, 826 Chestnut st., for particulars.

PHYSICIAN'S PRACTICE, ETC.—A physician and surgeon, wishing to take up a special branch of the profession, will dispose of his office, fixtures and $2500 city practice; established 7 years; plenty of factory surgery; a bargain if sold at once. Ad. G 62, Post-Dispatch. (96)

RESTAURANT—For sale, restaurant; tables, chairs, dishes, meatblock, icebox; must be sold today; your own price. 1416 Clark av.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, rooming house, 2 rooms, nicely furnished, $150; good bargain. 2708 Lucas av.

ROOMING HOUSE—2622 Washington; elegant location; 12 rooms; rent $45; snap; only $100 down.

ROOMING HOUSE—Ten furnished rooms, making $20 per week; rent reasonable; bargain. 1505 Pine st.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, good paying rooming house; furnished; location central; price reasonable and easy terms. 1413 Olive st. (7)

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, 10 beautifully furnished rooms, full of good paying men; splendid location; $450; $100 down, balance easy time. 3035 Morgan.

ROOMING HOUSE—Locust, near Leffingwell; 12 well-furnished rooms; sacrifice; $100 cash, balance easy; be quick; rooms all full; big profits. MISSOURI REALTY CO., 110 N. 9th st.

ROUTE—$50 buys a good route; cash every day; good reasons. 1219 Chouteau av.

SALOON—For sale; two blocks Union Station. Ad. N 100, Post-Dispatch. (6)

SALOON—Complete fixtures; $285; easy terms or will trade. MISSOURI REALTY CO., 110 N. 9th st.

TAILOR STORE—For sale, cleaning and repairing shop; bargain. Apply 306 N. Grand av.

### BUSINESS CHANCES.
14 Words, 20c.

BUSINESS CHANCE—$100 month salary, with commission (expenses paid); man with ability who will invest $1000 in our stock can easily make $500 month; bear closest investigation; incorporated company; no risk. Polk Dustproof Axle, 110 N. 9th st.

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BAKERS—Before commencing business see the Middleby Movable Brick Ovens. Wareroom at 216 Walnut st., St. Louis, Mo. (8)

### BUSINESS WANTED.
14 Words, 20c.

OLD ROOFS made good as new; we stop all leaks in any roof. Standifer Oil & Paint Co., 4042 Easton av. (8)

WE sell business quickly and quietly; no matter where located; write, call or telephone B1410. Missouri Realty Co., 110 N. 9th st. (80)

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We develop films and plates for 25c dozen; velox prints at 4c each; best work.
JUDGE & DOLPH, 515 Olive st. (7)

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14 Words, 20c.

A GIFT of flowers with purchases Saturday; genuine Omega Corn Cure, cures bunions; free demonstration. Dodge Advertising Booth, 209½ N. 6th st., St. Louis.

A NEW store, new goods, latest styles; clothing, sample shoes, hats and gents' furnishing; 50c on the $1. Sam Gordon, 511 Franklin. (8)

CASH REGISTERS, ETC.—For sale, two cash registers, bargain; buggy horse also. 2648 Pine.

COFFEE URNS—For sale, two 8-gallon coffee urns, cheap. 411 Franklin av.

HOT WATER HEATER—For sale, Backus gas hot water heater, all connections, cheap. 2038 Dickson st. (6)

LUMBER—For sale; every dimension; all No. 1; sash, door, skylight, patent lath, guttering, etc. Jerusalem concession, south of Machinery bldg., World's Fair. (8)

MAKER of ladies' and gentlemen's high-grade handmade shoes; special lasts for every customer. George Frisch, 206 N. 10th st. (80)

MATERIAL—For sale; all or any part of structural material from the Lindell Hotel; columns, fire escapes, eye beams, window guards, stairs, etc. M. Cohen, 23d and Gratiot. (7)

ROOFS COVERED with "Culver" roofing are better and fully guaranteed; drop us a card or telephone A2026 or Main 1914, and our representative will call and cheerfully give you estimate. Asbestos Mfg. and Roofing Co. (36)

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Mastic roofing never needs any painting or coating of any kind. It's laid on to stay on; 5 to 20 year guarantees that are worth while. Old roofs made good as new by re-covering over shingles, tin, iron, etc. Mastic Paint and Roof Cement will stop small leaks. Write or call for information The National Mastic Roofing Co., Edwardsville Ill. (8)

TICKETS—For sale, two tickets to Chicago, $4 each; good till May 24. Ad. O 72, Post-Dis.

TRUNKS, SUIT CASES—Selling out stock, cheap. St. Louis Trunk Co., 2642 Franklin. C1748. (80)

VAUGHAN saves you 10c a pound on his 20c coffee. Stand 76, Union Market. (59)

**$7 PER THOUSAND.**
Lumber, 200,000 feet; all sizes; must be sold within 10 days; also doors, windows, pipe and plumbing; bring your wagons; the fence is down; southeast entrance. Anthracite Coal Mine bldg., in Mining Gulch.

**Second-Hand Fireproof Safe FOR SALE CHEAP.**
Size about 3 feet by 3 feet 8 inches; good condition. Apply at office of ST. LOUIS HIDE AND TALLOW CO., 2d and Talcott av., Broadway Through car. (8)

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BOAT Wtd.—40 or 50 foot plain round-hull boat. Ad. P 84, Post-Dispatch. (6)

COINS, unused postage stamps, old guns and weapons wanted; foreign money exchanged. St. Louis Stamp and Coin Co., 118 N. 11th st. (8)

GENTS' old clothing, suits $1 to $5; overcoats $2 to $5; Kinloch D1333. Main 966. Feathers, 35c; postal; will call. Gelbert, 1419 Carr. (7)

GRAPHOPHONE HORN, ETC., Wtd.—Large size graphophone horn and stand; state price and size of horn. Ad. K 124, Post-Dispatch. (7)

HIGHEST price paid for gents' old clothing, shoes, feathers; postal; will call. Yatkeman, 908 High st. (14)

M. APPLEMAN, buyer of old and second-hand clothing. 1619 Carr st. (6)

PICTURE MACHINE, ETC., Wtd.—To buy, picture machine, song slides, films, etc. Call 2117 Pine st.

### HORSES AND VEHICLES
14 Words, 20c.

#### Wanted.

WAGON Wtd.—Peddler wagon; weight about 800 lbs.; fair condition; must be cheap. Ad. K 85, Post-Dispatch.

#### For Sale.

ALWAYS ON HAND—From 75 to 100 head of mules, draft, driving and general purpose horses, wagons of all kinds, buggies and harness; you can try horses before buying; must be as represented; cash or easy payments. E. L. House, 1518 N. Broadway and 4472 Clayton. (8)

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BUY your hay and oats and mill feed at wholesale prices; phone Bell Lindell 720, Kinloch C1185; warehouse and elevator, 500 S. Theresa av. Columbia Hay and Grain Co. (9)

HORSE—For sale, perfectly sound 7-year-old horse; trial given; sell very reasonable. 1502 S. 13th.

HORSE, ETC.—For sale, big 5-year-old horse; mare, $35; nice runabout, $30. 2732 Pine st.

HORSES—For sale, 2 horses suitable for all purposes. Mineral Water Co., 912 N. 17th.

HORSES, ETC.—For sale, cheap, 2 horses, spring wagon and harness. 2824 Euclid av. (4)

HORSE, ETC.—For sale, peddler's outfit; complete; price reasonable. 2027 Division st.

HORSE, ETC.—For sale, horse, wagon and harness; cheap; owner leaving city. 3041 Franklin av.

HORSES—For sale, five first-class, reliable horses, $15 to $75; guaranty given. Dayton Coal Co., 1210 N. Jefferson av.

HORSE—For sale, good cheap horse, suitable for buggy or delivery wagon. Stable, 711 N. Theresa av.

HORSES—For sale, fine black horse, 16 hands, suitable for storm buggy or surrey, $85; driving horse, $55; extra broke. 3291 S. 7th st.

HORSE—For sale, horse, 6 years, 16 hands, sound, bargain; also gentle mare, lady can handle; good looker; cheap. 3513 Evans av.

HORSE AND WAGON—For sale, horse, harness and huckster wagon, in good condition; a bargain. 1417 N. 16th st. (5)

HORSES—For sale, high-class 6-year-old 16¼ hands surrey horse, also another splendid driving horse, safe for lady; reasonable. 3524 Page bl.

HORSE, ETC.—For sale, fine saddle and runabout horse, city broke; also fine surrey or trap horse, young, sound. 711 N. Theresa av.

IF YOU buy a runabout, surrey or top buggy without seeing me, we both lose money; samples at second-hand prices. Russell E. Gardner, Broadway and Chouteau.

MAHER SALE STABLE, the reliable place to buy horses and mules. 1526 N. Broadway. (8)

MULES, ETC.—For sale, team of big mules, moving van, express wagon, harness, cheap. 1114 St. Ange av.

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RUNABOUT—For sale, one bike runabout. 3822 Franklin av.

TRAP—For sale, rubber-tired trap in good order; cheap. 3438 Lindell av.

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WAGON—For sale; suitable for peddler or express; $30. Call 1324 Blair av., rear. (6)

WAGONS, ETC.—For sale, storm buggies, grocer, baker, butcher, laundry, milk, peddler, tailor, plumber, carpenter, painter, express, caterer, advertising, coffee and tea wagons. John Tobinka, 1406 N. 7th st. (8)

WAGONS, ETC.—For sale, bargains, selling out, need money; 2 lumber wagons, 2 dump carts, 1 farm wagon, 2 3-spring delivery wagons, 2 top buggies, 1 rubber-tired runabout, 1 fine road buggy; also 2-horse wagonette. 4038 Cote Brilliante, coal company; 2 blocks north of Easton av. (8)

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CANARIES Wtd.—To buy 500 female canaries and small rabbits. Wehrman, 417 Walnut st. (16)

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BICYCLE—For sale, Majestic gentleman's bicycle; good condition. 1817 Sidney st.

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SHOWCASES, shelving, counters, store fixtures of every description; direct from factory. Helmann-Miller Mfg. Co., 622 N. 9th st. (8)

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Carpets and everything cleaned at your own home without removal, or at our plant. Best and quickest service in the city; both phones. General Compressed Air House Cleaning Co., after May 15 at 4436-38 Olive st. (8)

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14 Words, 20c.

ALL makes sewing machines, $2 to $15; guaranteed; repaired at your house, $1; needles and parts. D. G. Sheridan, 816 N. 6th st. (8)

BUY the light-running New Home direct at city office. 1208 Franklin. Bell Main 2778, Kin. D972. (8)

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WE REPAIR any sewing machine for $1; guaranteed 2 years. New Home Sewing Machine city office, 1208 Franklin. Bell Main 2778, Kin. D972. (8)

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TYPEWRITERS—For sale, $100 No. 4 Underwood, $50; $100 Oliver, $35; must be sacrificed. Ad. 0 57, Post-Dispatch. (80)

TYPEWRITER—For sale, Jewett typewriter; cost $100 less than one year ago; will sell for $35 cash. Ad. O 64, Post-Dispatch. (6)

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MATRIMONY—Acquaintance of young widow by mechanic with means; object matrimony. Ad. P 78, Post-Dispatch.

## ADOPTION.
14 Words, 20c.

ADOPTION—Wanted, to adopt a healthy baby girl. Ad. P 77, Post-Dispatch.

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14 Words, 30c

LADIES—Save time and money by calling at 2929 Franklin av.; hours 9 to 12 a. m. (8)

LADIES desiring treatment, consult me. J. C. Whitley, 4234 Evans av. Phone. Lindell 2577.(8)

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Private licensed home; confinements; adoption if desired; perfect seclusion; call or write. 2901 Franklin av.; phone 1207C. (8)

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Confinements; trained nursing; elegant accommodations; adoption if desired; only private, reliable, secluded, licensed home, where you will receive good treatment and motherly care, with all home comforts; perfect satisfaction guaranteed. Ladies, call or write; confidential. 2331A Olive st. (8)

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Lumber, showcases, electric ceiling and desk fans, motors, lamps and all kinds of supplies.
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Rates and terms unheard of. Look:
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LOTS—For sale, two elegant lots on Garfield av., 30x148 feet, sewer and gas in; will sell cheap; easy terms. Call 5045A Cote Brilliante av. (7)

**LOTS NEAR REBER PLACE $10 CASH**
High ground, just west of King's highway; several houses erected; prices will advance soon; sell for $10 cash and $10 a month now. Come and see plat. W. A. CARPENTER, 617 Wainwright bldg.

**CHEAP LOT—SOUTH SIDE.**
OWNER MUST SELL.
50 feet south side Neosho st., 35 feet west of Oregon av.; city water, sewer, street and granitoid sidewalks made and paid for; owner wants me to get $25 a foot for this, but we want your best offer.
GEO. J. WANSTRATH, 815 Chestnut st.

**LINDELL PARK LOTS.**
ONLY A FEW MORE LEFT.
I offer for sale the remaining two lots on University st., east of Grand av.; best residence block in Lindell Park; also have some choice business corners for sale in Lindell Park, on Dodier and Hebert sts.; also have 150 feet on south side of Hebert st., east of Garrison av., at $45 per foot; call and see me about this before they are all gone.
GEO. J. WANSTRATH, 815 Chestnut st.

## SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR SALE.
14 Words, 20c.

HOUSES—For sale; suburban houses and lots a specialty. At T. Smith, Old Orchard, Mo. (8)

HOUSE—For sale cheap, nice new house in beautiful Greenwood; easy payments; inquire of J. D. Irwin, 803 Pine st. (65)

HOUSE—For sale, 8-room frame house; large yard; Kirkwood, Mo.; must sell at once; cheap. N. E. Macbeth, Bank of Commerce, or H. W. Hough, Kirkwood. (6)

**EASY PAYMENTS AT GLENDALE.**
Seven-room house, lot 100x158; can buy 100 feet adjoining; all modern improvements, hedge, driveway to barn. $3000; $500 down, $20 monthly; two car lines.
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## FLATS FOR RENT.

**FOR RENT.**
5020 to 5060 Delmar bl.; modern apartments, containing 5 and 6 rooms and reception hall; every possible convenience; tile bathrooms; polished floors; decorations to suit; separate laundries and cellars to each apartment; most of these apartments are ready for occupancy; others can be reserved; janitor service; open.
VROOMAN & CO., 8½ N. 8th st. Both phones, A232, Main 396. (8)

**WEST END FLATS. RENT REDUCED**
Rent cut from $65 to $35 per month; rock; steam-heated; 6 rooms; first-class.
GREER REAL ESTATE CO., 719 Chestnut st. (8)

**ELEGANT FLATS, 5 and 6 Rooms.**
N. w. and s. w. cor. Crittenden and Tennessee avs.; bath, hot and cold water; separate furnaces, cellars and laundries; all light and airy rooms; screens, etc. Rent, $30 and $32.50.
**AIPLE & HEMMELMANN R. E. CO.** 622 Chestnut. (7)

**NEW FLATS.**
South side McPherson av., just east of Union; handsome 5 and 6 room modern flats; all conveniences; rent $35 and $37.50.
NICHOLLS-RITTER, 713 Chestnut st. (7)

**5911 MICHIGAN FOR $100 CASH**
Eight-room brick and frame cottage, lot 63 front, 78 back, 130 deep; stable, sheds, fruit and shade trees; will put in bath; $3000; only $100 down and $25 monthly down to trust deed of $1500.
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**4331-7 MARYLAND AVENUE.**
Three handsome 6-room modern flats; shades, screens; combination fixtures; janitor service.
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**4113 WEST PINE BOUL.**
Choice 6-room flat, all conveniences; rent reasonable; immediate possession.
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**GRACE'S $15--$18--$20 Flats**

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| 1916 Chestnut, 4-room flats; baths.......... | $18 00 |
| 2321 Pine, 3 large rooms .................. | 18 00 |
| 3044 Folsom, 3 rooms, fixtures ............ | 15 00 |
| 4285 Easton, 8 rooms, bath ................ | 18 00 |
| 4848 St. Louis, 4 rooms, bath.............. | 20 00 |

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**FOR SALE**
**VERY DESIRABLE CABANNE RESIDENCE**
Large house and beautiful grounds; a bargain. For card of admission apply
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**TO RENT**
4118 McPHERSON AV.,
An 8-room apartment, all large rooms, very light, splendid location; the finest apartment east of Taylor av., for rent; in first-class condition; fixtures, shades, range and janitor furnished; reference required.
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**FOR RENT**
**BEAUTIFUL FLATS**

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|---|---|
| 3850 Botanical, 2d floor, 7 rooms, beautifully finished; only ........ | $35 00 |
| 4219 Cleveland, 2d floor, 7 rooms, hardwood floor, tiled bath, etc. ........ | 40 00 |
| 4111 Botanical, 6 rooms ........ | 27 50 |
| 4059 Cleveland, 7 rooms ........ | 30 00 |
| 4047 Russell, 5 rooms ........ | 28 50 |

All above will be put in finest condition to suit tenant.
AIPLE & HEMMELMANN R. E. CO., 622 Chestnut st.

**WEST END HOMES, $5500.**
5027 MORGAN—5242 MINERVA.
NINE-ROOM BRICK HOUSES; IN GOOD REPAIR; DEEP LOTS; OWNER MUST SELL QUICK.
W. A. RUTLEDGE REALTY CO., 1005 Chestnut st. (96)

**ELEGANT**
**6 and 8 ROOM APARTMENTS.**
Steam heat; janitor service; fine location; just north of Portland Place.
**5210-12 McPherson Av.**
PRICE REDUCED.
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REAL ESTATE Wtd.—Real estate, improved, in exchange for patent medicine; business assured. Ad. O 3, Post-Dispatch.

**REAL ESTATE WANTED.**
FLAT Wtd.—To buy a single four and five room flat for about $4000, between Labadie and Easton, west of Taylor.
LEWIS A. J. LIPPELT, 824 Chestnut st.

# LIKE BOOMERANG COURSE OF BULLET

## After Dodging Around Vital Organs Ball Returns to Spot It Entered Body.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 19.—"The bullets course was the most eccentric I have ever seen; probably the most eccentric on record."

So says Coroner's Physician O'Hanlon after making an autopsy on the body of Sterling Garland, who was brought from Haverstraw, N. Y., to Roosevelt Hospital and died there Tuesday.

The bullet that proved fatal to Garland, entered his back about two inches to the left of the spine and one-half inch below the last rib. Moving upward it passed through the left kidney, through the posterior wall of the left end of the stomach, through the left lobe of the liver, through the diaphragm and then through the sac which incloses the heart.

"Then, most remarkable to tell," Dr. O'Hanlon said, "the bullet struck the breast bone and was deflected. Any surgeon knows that bullets are often turned from their course in the human body by the slightest obstacle. But, strange to say, the breast bone, which is flat, deflected the bullet backward. One might almost say it rebounded from the breast bone.

"The bullet in its return course again passed through the sac around the heart, the diaphragm and the stomach and was found resting on the kidney, almost at the spot where it entered Garland's body. You can almost compare the bullet's course to that of a ray of light when it falls on and is reflected by a mirror."

Dr. O'Hanlon will preserve Garland's wounded organs and send them as a medical curio to the museum of the College of Physicians and Surgeons. He said that not the least remarkable phase of the case was that Garland lived 12 hours after being shot.

# SOCIETY DAME A MILK MAID

## Mrs. Scott Durand of Chicago Will Start Sanitary Dairy "for Relaxation."

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, May 19.—"Where are you going, my pretty maid? Going a-milking, sir, she said."

And a-milking Mrs. Scott Durand, author and society leader of Lake Forest, is a-going.

"Nature and the bovine for mine," said Mrs. Scott Durand. It is to be called the Crab Tree Dairy, and already orders from her social friends are pouring in upon the promoter.

"I am opening this dairy because I want the relaxation," said Mrs. Durand. "For years I have given much of my time to literary work and to Christian Science, and I find I need a change. I am heartily interested in this new business and have decided to go into it on a scientific and commercial basis. It is a new thing in this section and is much needed, I think.

"I am going to have 60 Jerseys and Holsteins. A graduate of Wisconsin Agricultural College is to be in charge. Everything will be sanitary and lovely."

No matter what you lost, when you lost it, or where you lost it, if you will advertise for it in the Post-Dispatch lost and found column it will be returned to you in a few days if an honest person finds it. Send a two or three line advertisement to any drug store for the popular want directory with next Sunday's Post-Dispatch.

# FAMILY OF SUICIDES THIS

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

DANBURY, Conn., May 19.—Another member of the famous suicide family of Briggses, 13 of whom have taken their lives, was found dead today. He was David Briggs, a Brookfield farmer, who threw himself into a mill pond Sunday night while despondent. His body was recovered after a two-day's search.

The suicides in the family have occurred at intervals of a few years for nearly a half a century. Six years ago yesterday, Audrew Briggs, a wealthy farmer, weighted himself with a stone tied to a dog collar clasped about his neck and walked into a pond. His neighbors found a stick at the edge of the pond pointing to the place where the body lay. Another Briggs fired a nail into his skull, and others employed equally horrible means of ending their lives.

**$10 CASH AND $5.00 Per Month.** WILL BUY A **LOT** IN **47 LOTS IN WEST CHAMBERLAIN PARK** OLIVE STREET, CHAMBERLAIN AND BARTMER, WEST OF SUTTER AV. **$10 CASH AND $5.00 Per Month.**
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**MUST BE SOLD IN 30 DAYS**
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TAKE SUBURBAN CARS TO GROUNDS
SALESMEN ON THE GROUNDS TODAY
**12 LOTS SOLD IN 4 HOURS**
**DAVID P. LEAHY, Agt., 800 CHESTNUT**

# "THE NEWSTEAD"
**APARTMENTS,**
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Facing Newstead and Olive street. Now nearing completion. Five to seven rooms. Hot water, steam heat, gas ranges, shades, screens, janitor service, etc. For plans and particulars see
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# POST-DISPATCH DAILY RECORD OF FINANCE

## BEARS STILL CONTROL WALL STREET MARKET

### Selling in Heavy Volume Meets Every Minor Rally and the Close Is Weak Near the Low Point and Shows Sharp Losses for the Day.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Stocks on Wall street this morning opened under heavy pressure and pronounced losses were general throughout the list, trading was active and the tone of the market at the decline highly feverish.

London prices this morning came weak and lower, the losses extending from ¼ to 1¼ points, the latter in the United States Steel issues. Consols are unchanged and foreign bonds in the London market steady.

Local sentiment over night is highly pessimistic, the street generally being of the opinion that lower prices are inevitable. The condition in the steel trade, the announced policy of the Government in purchasing the supplies for the Panama Canal in foreign markets, the reports of crop damage and the dropping from the Northern Pacific Board of Directors of the Harriman interests have all had a tendency to shatter confidence in general conditions and in the present level of stock values.

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After the initial declines had proceeded to a level attractive for the short interest, stocks began to be picked up and there was a pretty general recovery. Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, Atchison, Illinois Central, Sugar, Smelting and several others rebounded to fractionally above yesterday's closing prices, and Tennessee Coal and Metropolitan Street Railway gained 1¼. Before this result had been attained, a number of important additions to the opening losses were made, ranging from 1 to 1½. Renewed offerings on a large scale undermined the market again, and there was a general drop, in which some of the western stocks and specialties sold lower than at the start, notably Union Pacific, Atchison, New York Central, Pennsylvania and the United States Steel stocks.

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The banks in their operations with the subtreasury are heavy losers on the week and the indications point strongly to an unfavorable bank statement tomorrow. The liquidation in the stock market however, should reflect favorably in the loan account and should offset to a large extent any loss in cash that may occur. Interest rates show absolutely no signs of hardening and the present contraction of credits in the stock market will lessen to an appreciable extent the possibility of tight money in the fall during the crop moving period.

The loan crowd reflects the demand of a rather urgent short interest, the decline of the past few days adding largely to the ranks of the short sellers. In well posted quarters it is generally believed that the short interest is much larger than the loan crowd indicates, owing to the fact that certain powerful financial interests are lending stock freely to increase this element until the market situation shows some signs of adjusting itself. The stocks in the best demand yesterday were St. Paul, U. S. Steel preferred, Amalgamated Copper, and Union Pacific, with a moderate inquiry also noted for Tennessee Coal and Iron.

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Railroad earnings generally remain favorable and increases are still being shown from nearly all sections of the country. The South and Southwestern roads are making the most favorable showing at the present time owing to the heavy movement of cotton to market, but the coal roads and the granger lines are also making good gains. Ten reporting roads for the second week of May show an average gross increase of 9.71 per cent over the returns published for the same period in 1904. The Southern Railway for the second week in May reports a gross increase of $39,686, and since July 1 a gain of $2,358,100.

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Commission houses and houses with foreign connections were fairly heavy sellers in the early trading, and were largely responsible for the liquidation noted. The buying power in the general list was exceedingly light and came from active short covering by the trading element and minor supporting orders by the professional pool interests. Trading was quieter at the noon period, with the general list sharply below the closing of yesterday. Money is in light demand at 2¾ per cent.

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Trading continued feverish and unsettled after the noon period, rallies and reactions following each other in rapid succession; the trend of values, however, was still apparently downward and the selling in the Steel issues was still on a heavy scale. The contention for the control of the market between the bulls and bears was bitter at times, and reflected the presence of an active and aggressive bear pool in operation, while on any appearance of pronounced weakness, aggressive support was encountered. Prices dipped a fraction from a late rally at the close, and the last prices noted were unsettled at the reaction.

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## NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS

Reported daily for the Post-Dispatch by Wasserman, Bro. & Co., 315 Olive street.
NEW YORK, May 19.

| STOCKS. | Open | High | Low | Price at 1:45 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Am. Car & Foundry | 33 | 33⅝ | 32¾ | 33⅛ |
| do preferred | 96¼ | 96½ | 96¼ | 96⅜ |
| Am. Locomotive common | 47¼ | 48½ | 47 | 47¼ |
| Am. Smelter | 113¼ | 114⅜ | 112⅜ | 112⅞ |
| Am. Sugar | 134½ | 135¼ | 134 | 134 |
| A. C. P. | 80 | 80¼ | 79½ | 80 |
| C. F. I. | 42½ | 43 | 42 | 42⅛ |
| Con. Gas | 187¼ | 187⅞ | 187 | 187 |
| Nat. Lead common | 44 | 45 | 43⅞ | 44¾ |
| North American | 100¼ | 100¼ | 100 | 100 |
| Pacific Mail | 36½ | 36¼ | 35½ | 36¼ |
| People's Gas | 98½ | 99⅜ | 98½ | 99¼ |
| Rep. I. & Steel | 17⅜ | 17¼ | 16⅝ | 17⅛ |
| do preferred | 70⅜ | 72 | 70⅜ | 71½ |
| T. C. I. | 77 | 79 | 77 | 77⅞ |
| United States Leather com. | 11½ | 11⅝ | 11½ | 11½ |
| United States Steel | 27½ | 27½ | 26⅞ | 26⅞ |
| do preferred | 94¼ | 94⅜ | 93⅞ | 94⅛ |
| Western Union | 92⅝ | 92⅝ | 92⅝ | 92⅝ |
| Atchison common | 79 | 79½ | 78⅛ | 78⅝ |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 105⅜ | 106⅛ | 105⅜ | 106⅛ |
| Brooklyn Rapid Transit | 60 | 61⅛ | 59⅞ | 60⅞ |
| Canadian Pacific | 145⅞ | 146 | 145½ | 146 |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 46⅝ | 46¾ | 46⅞ | 46½ |
| Chicago & Alton common | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 |
| Chicago & Great Western | 18¾ | 19⅛ | 18⅝ | 18¾ |
| C., M. & St. P. | 173¼ | 174⅝ | 173 | 174⅛ |
| Colorado Southern | 26⅝ | 26¾ | 26¼ | 26⅞ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 184 | 184 | 182 | 182 |
| Denver & Rio Grande pfd. | 85 | 85 | 85 | 85 |
| Erie common | 39½ | 40 | 39 | 39¾ |
| do 1st | 77½ | 77½ | 77⅛ | 77⅛ |
| Illinois Central | 157¼ | 158 | 157 | 157½ |
| Louisville & Nashville | 142½ | 143¼ | 142½ | 142⅞ |
| Manhattan | 163 | 163 | 163 | 163 |
| Metropolitan | 115¼ | 116½ | 115¼ | 116¼ |
| do 2ds | 76 | 77 | 75⅜ | 76½ |
| Mexican Central | 20⅜ | 20⅝ | 19⅜ | 20 |
| M., K. & T. | 24⅜ | 25 | 24½ | 24¾ |
| Missouri Pacific | 95½ | 96 | 95½ | 95⅞ |
| New York Central common | 140 | 140⅜ | 139½ | 140¼ |
| N. Y., O. & W. | 46½ | 46⅞ | 46¼ | 46½ |
| Norfolk & Western | 77 | 77 | 76½ | 76⅝ |
| Pennsylvania | 133¼ | 134 | 133½ | 133⅞ |
| Reading common | 90¼ | 91 | 89½ | 90⅛ |
| Rock Island | 27¼ | 27⅞ | 27⅛ | 27⅞ |
| Rock Island 4s | 80½ | 80½ | 80¼ | 80⅜ |
| do preferred | 72½ | 72½ | 72½ | 72½ |
| St. L. & S. F. 2d | 65 | 65 | 65 | 65 |
| St. L. & S. W. preferred | 59 | 59 | 58½ | 59 |
| Southern Pacific | 59⅞ | 60⅝ | 59⅜ | 59⅞ |
| Southern Railway | 28½ | 28⅝ | 28⅛ | 28⅛ |
| Texas Pacific | 31⅞ | 32 | 31⅞ | 32 |
| Union Pacific common | 118⅝ | 119⅜ | 118¼ | 118½ |

Sales to noon, 690,100 shares.

## LIVESTOCK MARKET.

CATTLE—Receipts, 1300. Receipts today were very light, mostly Southern cattle, on which the market was active and strong.

SALES.

| No. | | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2 | native beef steers | 865 | $4 30 |
| 47 | native heifers | 927 | 5 00 |
| 27 | native heifers | 947 | 4 70 |
| 1 | native cow | 1310 | 4 60 |
| 4 | native cows | 1140 | 4 35 |
| 4 | native cows | 1185 | 4 25 |
| 8 | native cows | 940 | 3 65 |
| 2 | native cows | 855 | 3 40 |
| 2 | native cows | 730 | 3 00 |
| 2 | native cows | 795 | 2 25 |
| 1 | native bull | 1280 | 3 40 |
| 2 | veal calves | 155 | 6 50 |
| 13 | veal calves | 129 | 6 25 |
| 4 | veal calves | 117 | 6 00 |
| 1 | veal calf | 140 | 5 75 |
| 2 | veal calves | 430 | 3 25 |
| 2 | milkers, each | ... | 44 50 |
| 2 | milkers, each | ... | 33 25 |
| 45 | stock steers | 506 | 4 40 |
| 16 | stock steers | 759 | 4 00 |
| 2 | stock steers | 810 | 3 75 |
| 42 | fed Texas steers | 1106 | 5 00 |
| 48 | fed Texas steers | 1069 | 4 90 |
| 80 | fed Texas steers | 912 | 4 80 |
| 10 | fed Texas steers | 732 | 3 75 |
| 19 | fed Texas stags | 1285 | 4 25 |
| 19 | fed Texas bulls | 1164 | 3 50 |
| 14 | fed Texas bulls | 1226 | 2 90 |
| 92 | grass Texas steers | 1073 | 4 75 |
| 196 | grass Texas steers | 1001 | 4 55 |
| 49 | grass Texas steers | 889 | 4 50 |
| 25 | grass Texas steers | 911 | 4 40 |
| 59 | grass Texas steers | 854 | 4 85 |
| 21 | grass Texas steers | 909 | 4 00 |
| 1 | grass Texas cow | 830 | 2 50 |
| 8 | fed Texas cows | 818 | 3 00 |
| 28 | fed Texas cows | 645 | 1 75 |
| 19 | fed Texas calves | 174 | 8 50 |
| 4 | fed Texas stags | 1100 | 3 15 |

HOGS—Receipts, 9500; large supply on sale; the market was 10c to 15c lower.

SALES.

| No. | Av. | Price. | No. | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 63 | 278 | $5 40 | 67 | 262 | $5 40 |
| 67 | 256 | 5 37½ | 77 | 241 | 5 37½ |
| 49 | 224 | 5 35 | 77 | 202 | 5 35 |
| 88 | 199 | 5 32½ | 81 | 215 | 5 32½ |
| 77 | 199 | 5 30 | 63 | 210 | 5 30 |
| 78 | 182 | 5 30 | 68 | 243 | 5 30 |
| 79 | 220 | 5 30 | 72 | 225 | 5 27½ |
| 97 | 173 | 5 27½ | 98 | 176 | 5 25 |
| 64 | 205 | 5 25 | | | |

SHEEP—Receipts, 300; only a small supply of sheep was received and they sold at steady prices.

SALES.

| No. | | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 18 | spring lambs | 52 | $7 50 |
| 29 | native lambs | 91 | 5 50 |
| 30 | native sheep | 117 | 4 75 |
| 18 | native sheep | 124 | 4 00 |
| 1 | buck | 200 | 3 50 |
| 1 | buck | 190 | 3 00 |

INDEPENDENT STOCKYARDS.

CATTLE—Market active.

SALES.

| No. | | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 4 | native steers | 1236 | $5 10 |
| 14 | native steers | 868 | 4 50 |
| 15 | native steers | 850 | 4 50 |
| 1 | native heifer | 800 | 4 20 |
| 34 | native heifers | 682 | 4 80 |
| 21 | native heifers | 631 | 4 60 |
| 30 | native heifers | 748 | 4 50 |
| 26 | native heifers | 593 | 4 50 |
| 38 | native heifers | 560 | 4 50 |
| 23 | native heifers | 720 | 4 25 |
| 28 | native heifers | 920 | 4 20 |
| 4 | native heifers | 807 | 4 20 |
| 2 | native heifers | 805 | 3 95 |

HOGS—Market opened 5c lower, closed very active at decline. Receipts good.

SALES.

| No. | Av. | Price. | No. | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 80 | 212 | $5 45 | 69 | 219 | $5 45 |
| 65 | 242 | 5 40 | 76 | 210 | 5 40 |
| 74 | 187 | 5 40 | 87 | 184 | 5 40 |
| 74 | 180 | 5 40 | 78 | 230 | 5 37½ |
| 91 | 198 | 5 32½ | 20 | 203 | 5 32½ |
| 71 | 212 | 5 32½ | 67 | 166 | 5 25 |
| 27 | 165 | 5 25 | | | |

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## WANTED; A MARRIAGABLE NURS

### Aged Farmer Would Wed Caretaker Rather Than Hire One —Will Limit Inheritance.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

DES MOINES, Io., May 1?.—Jonathan Telliner, aged 80, announces that he will pay $300 to any woman 40 years of age who will marry him and reside with him until he dies. He resides in Wapello County and is a wealthy farmer.

He came to Des Moines to take treatment for nervous troubles, and the physicians told him he would have to have careful nursing if he survived long.

He decided it would be cheaper to marry than to keep a professional nurse. He states if the woman is a good one he will leave her all his property, but before he weds he will insist on her signing a contract that she can collect only $300 if he sees fit to make some one else his heir.

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## NOT GOOD TESTIMONY.

### Evidence Based on Work of Bloodhounds Not Admitted in Iowa.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., May 17.—Refusing to admit testimony based on the work of bloodhounds, in an arson case, Judge Wheeler directed a verdict of acquittal for A. W. Ellsworth, charged with attempting to burn down his hotel at McClelland, Io. The bloodhounds had traced the defendant to a friend's house and the suspicion which then pointed against him was confirmed by other circumstantial evidence. The judge held that the dogs could not be considered as infallible, and this being so, he refused to admit any evidence based on their work. At the close of the case for the state which was thus robbed of its main support, the defense moved that the case be taken from the jury, and the court sustained the motion, rendering a verdict for the defendant.

To secure domestic, industrial or professional help by Monday, advertise in the next Sunday Post-Dispatch Want Directory.

## BULLISH CROP NEWS NOT YET CONFIRMED

### Bears Make Big Gains in Wheat After Thursday's Scare—Corn Steady.

Lack of confirmation of the sensational crop damage reports of Thursday and some favorite news mixed in with the bullish news that did come, allowed the bearish sentiment to make a steady downgrade market Friday. After the first rush to sell at the opening, nearly a cent under Thursday's close, the trading was rather quiet except at the low points.

The drop back of the market still kept the spread between St. Louis and Chicago at or exceeding six cents. Counting from the close the bears' gain was 1½ cents.

Corn held fairly steady as the news is still bullish on the crop. The wheat decline dragged it back slightly.

The Modern Miller report said no serious damage had come from fly or rust, but the water was doing some damage in many parts of the Southwest, although Texas was looking up and harvest there would begin June 1. Cables were higher on American markets. Primary receipts of wheat 328,821 bu; last year, 145,457 bu; corn, 125,875 bu; last year, 103,440 bu. Primary shipments, wheat, 233,224 bu; corn, 352,157 bu. Argentine weekly shipments, wheat, 1,784,000 bu; last week, 3,296,000 bu; last year, 2,584,000 bu; corn, 1,784,000 bu; last week, 1,364,000 bu; last year, 1,096,000 bu.

Vice-President Biddle, who had just returned from an inspection of his line, gave out a very bearish report late in the day. Bradstreet's exports of wheat, this week, 1,513,000 bu; last week, 693,000 bu; last year, 1,226,000 bu. Corn, this week, 1,888,000 bu; last week, 1,528,000 bu; last year, 118,000 bu.

Corn and oats were decidedly easier in the cash market. Wheat offerings were more scant than the other grains and they were scarce enough. There was no good wheat offered. Local receipts: Wheat, 974 sacks and 33,250 bu local, 5700 bu through; through shipments, 31,050 bu; corn, 730 sacks and 13,000 bu local, 300 bu through, shipments 40 sacks and 34,490 bu; oats, 33,750 bu local, 4050 bu through, shipments 40,340 bu.

FLOUR—Receipts, 6870 bbls; shipments, 7570 bbls. Market about steady, with better trade. Soft red winter wheat flours in wood: Patents, $4.75@4.90; straight, $4.60@4.80; clear, $3.60@4. Hard wheat flour in jute sacks, patents, $4.65@4.85; straight, $4.30@4.50; first clear, $3.60@4. Rye flour, $4.10 in jute. Cornmeal, $2.50, Grits, hominy, etc., $2.80.

HAY—Receipts, 460 tons local, 185 tons through, shipments 280 tons. Market fair for high grades, dull and draggy on low grades. Market, East track—Timothy, $13 for choice, $10.50@12 for No. 1, $8@9 for No. 2. Clover mixed, $8.50@10 for No. 1, $7.50@8 for No. 2; Prairie, $9.50 for choice. Straw $4.50 for wheat and oats, $9@10 for rye.

### Stocks of Grain in Elevators.

| | Today. | Yest'day. | Year ago |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat | 2,092,089 | 2,098,377 | 777,350 |
| Corn | 1,094 | 1,094 | 26,325 |
| Oats | 322,085 | 318,532 | 68,809 |
| Rye | 4,540 | 4,540 | 2,132 |
| Barley | 29,936 | 29,936 | 5,661 |
| No. 2 red wheat | 1,044,585 | 1,048,585 | 446,139 |
| No. 2 hard wheat | 13,357 | 13,357 | 142,569 |

### FUTURE PRICES.

ST. LOUIS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Highest Today. | Lowest Today. | Closing Today. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT. | | | | |
| May | 98 b | 96½b | 96 | 96 |
| July | 83⅜ | 82¾ | 81½ | 81⅞a |
| Sept | 82¼ | 80⅞@81 | 80⅛ | 80¼b |
| CORN. | | | | |
| May | 51¾b | 51¼a | 51⅜a | 51¾a |
| July | 47¾@47⅞ | 47⅝@47¾ | 47⅜@47½ | 47⅜ |
| OATS. | | | | |
| May | 30¾b | 30¾b | 30⅝b | 30¾b |
| July | 28¼b | 28 a | 28 a | 28 a |

KANSAS CITY

| | Closing Yesterday. | Highest Today. | Lowest Today. | Closing Today. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT. | | | | |
| May. | 95½ | 94 | 93⅝ | 93⅜ |
| July. | 79⅝a | 78¾ | 76¾ | 77⅛ |
| Cash | ...... | 1.00@1.04 | ...... | ...... |

TOLEDO.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Highest Today. | Lowest Today. | Closing Today. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT. | | | | |
| May. | 1.02½ | ...... | ...... | 1.01 |
| July. | 88¾ | 88⅝ | 87 | ...... |
| Cash. 2 red. | 1.02½ | ...... | ...... | 1.01 |

NEW YORK.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Highest Today. | Lowest Today. | Closing Today. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT. | | | | |
| May | $1.00 | 99⅝ | 99 | 99⅛b |
| July | 94¼a | 93⅞ | 91⅞ | 92⅛a |
| Sept | 87⅝a | 87¼ | 85⅛@85¼ | 85¾ |
| CORN. | | | | |
| May. | 56¼b | 56¼ | 55⅞ | 55⅞ |
| July | 54⅝b | 54¼ | 53¾ | 54¾b |

MINNEAPOLIS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Highest Today. | Lowest Today. | Closing Today. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT. | | | | |
| May | $1.14 b | $1.14 | $1.13½ | $1.13½ |
| July | 1.04 | 1.03¼ | 1.01⅝ | 1.02¼ |
| Sept | 85¾ | 85¼ | 83 | 83⅛ |

CHICAGO GRAIN.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Highest Today. | Lowest Today. | Closing Today. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT. | | | | |
| May | 97½ | 97 | 95¼ | 95¾ |
| July | 89⅜@89½ | 88⅛ | 86¾ | 87 @87¼ |
| Sept | 83½@83⅝ | 82¾ | 80¾@80⅞ | 80⅞b |
| CORN. | | | | |
| May | 54 a | 54¼ | 53¼ | 53⅝ |
| July | 48⅞@49 | 48⅝ | 47⅞ | 48⅛ |
| Sept | 48¼ | 48⅛ | 47⅜ | 47½ |
| OATS. | | | | |
| May | 31½ | 31⅜ | 30⅝ | 30¾ |
| July | 30⅛ | 30 | 29⅜ | 29½a |

CHICAGO PROVISIONS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Highest Today. | Lowest Today. | Closing Today. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| PORK. | | | | |
| May. | $12.55 | ...... | ...... | $12.42n |
| July. | 12.75 | 12.70 | $12.60@62 | 12.60@62 |
| Sept. | 12.95 | 12.87 | 12.85 | 12.82@85 |
| LARD. | | | | |
| May. | 7.22@35n | ...... | ...... | 7.22a |
| July. | 7.37b | 7.35 | 7.32@35 | 7.32@35 |
| Sept. | 7.55@57b | ...... | ...... | 7.52a |
| RIBS. | | | | |
| May. | 7.10n | ...... | ...... | 7.07n |
| July. | 7.27@30 | 7.27 | 7.25 | 7.25a |
| Sept. | 7.55a | 7.52 | 7.47 | 7.47@50 |

### ST. LOUIS CASH MARKET.

| | Today. | Yesterday. | Year ago. |
|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT. | | | |
| No. 2 red | $1.05@06 | $1.05@06 | $1.07@10 |
| No. 3 red | 1.02@04 | 1.02@06 | 1.04@07½ |
| No. 4 | 80@$1.00 | 75@$1.03 | 85@$1.03 |
| No. 2 hard | $1.04@05 | $1.06 | 96@$1.00 |
| No. 3 hard | 94@$1.04 | 94@$1.04 | 88 @95 |
| No. 4 hard | 89 @95 | 85 @96 | 80 @88 |
| CORN. | | | |
| No. 2 | 52½ | 52½ | 53 @53½ |
| No. 3 | 51½ | 51½ | 51½@52½ |
| No. 2 yellow | 53 | 53 | 54 |
| No. 3 yellow | 52½ | 52½ | 52 @53½ |
| No. 2 white | 53 | 53 @53½ | 56½ |
| No. 3 white | 51½@52½ | 52½@53 | 43 @54½ |
| OATS. | | | |
| No. 2 | 31 | 31 @31½ | 43½ |
| No. 3 | 30½ | 30 @31 | 42¼@42½ |
| No. 4 | 30 | 30 | 41 |
| No. 2 white | 33 | 33 | 46½ |
| No. 3 white | 32½ | 32½ | 45 @46 |
| No. 4 white | 32 @32½ | 32 @32½ | 41½@44½ |

## BUTTER, EGGS AND PRODUCE

BUTTER—Steady. Creamery, extra, 23c; 1sts, 21@22c; 2ds, 18@19c; dairy packed fancy, 19c; firsts, 17½c; country packed, 14½c; grease stock, 4@5c.

EGGS—Received 2109 packages local and 2140 packages through; shipped 4478 packages. Market quiet. Current receipts at 13¾c, case count, cases returned; city packed, cases included, 15½c; extra, 16½c.

POULTRY—Live, easy to steady; fowls, 11c; roosters, spring chickens, 85c lb; old and staggy young, 5½c; turkeys, 12c for choice; ducks, 11c lb; capons, 14c. Dressed, scalded and drawn, with head and feet on, fowls and light hens, 11c; broilers, 23c; roosters, 6c; turkeys, 14c for choice.

STRAWBERRIES—Home-grown were plentiful and considerable variety as to size made price from 60c to $1 per 12-quart tray; mainly at 80c. Arkansas and Missouri sold $1.40 to $1.50 from car and from $1.10 to $2 on street.

POTATOES—Firm. Best rurals and Burbanks, sacked on track, 29@30c bu; inferior, 20@25c; new potatoes stronger, selling at $1.15 bu from car for choice.

CALVES—Weak; 5½c for choice small fat.

ONIONS—Arrivals of Texas Bermuda heavy. Florida, bu crates, $1@1.10; Cummer crates, $1.25; ordinary stock down to 75c per 1½-bu sack.

GREEN VEGETABLES—By wholesale average lots, not selections: Carrots, 30@35c doz. bunches; cabbage, new, $1.75@1.85; Mobile crates cucumbers good, 90c@$1.10 bu box; radishes, home-grown, 10@15c doz. bunches; lettuce, home-grown, 10@20c bu box; beets, 30@35c dozen bunches; pieplant, home-grown, 15@30c dozen bunches; green onions, home-grown, 5@15c per doz. band bunches; string beans, choice and tender, 90@$1 bu box; $1@1.10 bu hamper; mustard greens, home-grown, 10@20c bu box; peas, home grown, 80c@$1; tomatoes, $1.50@1.75 choice 6-basket crate; asparagus, home-grown, 60@75c per dozen bunches; kale, 10@20c per bu box; cauliflower, choice, 60@80c bu box; Florida squash, 50c bu hamper; new turnips, 20c dozen bunches.

CHICAGO, May 19.—Butter easy; creameries, 18@21c; dairies, 16@19. Eggs steady; at mark, cases included, 15@15½c. Cheese weak; daisies, 11@11½c; twins, 11c; Young Americas, 11@11½c. Poultry, live, steady; turkeys, 14@15c; chickens, 13c; springs, 1-lb av., $3@3.50; 1½@1¾-lb. av., $6@6.50.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Sugar, raw, nominal; fair refining 3 23-32; centrifugal 96-test, 4 11-32; molasses sugar, 3 15-32. Refined, unsettled; crushed, 6.55; powdered, 5.95; granulated, 5.85. Coffee quiet; No. 7 Rio, 8c.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Poultry, alive, steady; western spring chickens, per pair, 75c@$1; fowls, per pound, 13½c; old turkeys, 12c; dressed, easier; western broilers, 30@35c; fowls, 10@13½c; turkeys, 13@15c. Butter, firm; street prices, extra creamery, 22@22½c; official prices, creamery common to extra, 19@22c. Cheese and eggs unchanged.

## LIVESTOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, May 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 2500; steady; good to prime steers, $5.75@6.75; poor to medium, $4.85@5.50; stockers and feeders, $2.50@5.25; cows, $2.50@5; heifers, $2.50@5.60; canners, $1.55@2.40; bulls, $2.50@4.75; calves, $3@6.40. Hogs—Receipts, today 25,000; tomorrow 12,000; 5@10c lower; mixed and butchers, $5.20@5.40; good to choice heavy, $5.30@5.37½; rough heavy, $4.90@5.25; light, $5.2½@5.42½; bulk of sales, $5.30@5.37½. Sheep—Receipts, 7000; sheep steady to strong; lambs steady; good to choice wethers, shorn, $2.80@5.25; fair to choice mixed, shorn, $4@4.75; Western sheep, shorn, $4@5.25; native lambs, shorn, $4.50@6.50; Western lambs, $5.50@7.40.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 19.—Cattle—Receipts 2000, including 500 southerns; market steady; native steers, $4.50@6.25; southern steers, $3.75@5.40; southern cows, $2.50@4.50; native cows and heifers, $2.50@5.25; stockers and feeders, $3.25@5; bulls, $2.80@4.60; calves, $3@5.60; western fed steers, $4.50@6; western fed cows, $3.50@5. Hogs—Receipts 9000; market 5@7½c lower; bulk of sales, $5.25@5.35; heavy, $5.25@5.35; packers, $5.25@5.35; pigs and lights, $4.60@5.27½. Sheep—Receipts 8000; market strong and active; muttons, $4@5.25; lambs, $6@7.40; range wethers, $4.75@5.50; fed ewes, $4.25@4.75.

## RAISE R. R. TRACKS AT FOREST PARK

### Mayor Wells to Have Ordinance Introduced Affecting Wabash Right of Way.

A city ordinance requiring the Wabash Railroad to elevate its track north and west of Forest Park until the county line is reached will be introduced either at the House of Delegates meeting Friday afternoon or the Council meeting Saturday night. The ordinance has been drafted by City Counselor Bates under instructions from Mayor Wells, and will necessitate the elevating of the Wabash tracks at De Ballviere, Union, Delmar and Lindell boulevards.

## CRUISER DETROIT WAS AGROUND

### Navy Department Gets Notice of Mishap to Big Fighting Vessel Off Puerto Plata.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The Navy Department has received notice that the cruiser Detroit of the Caribean squadron has gone aground at Puerto Plata and that the ship's port propeller is completely disabled.

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## FATALITY DOGS DREYFUS.

### Illness of Counsel Prevents His Case From Being Adjudicated.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and New York World.

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PARIS, May 1?.—The fatality that seems to have dogged Dreyfus all through his career persists even after partial justice has been done. Eighteen months ago the Court of Cassation was moved, with a view to his complete rehabilitation. After a brief period of activity, the whole matter has been completely shelved.

It looks as if secret influences were being brought to bear to prevent a revival of the question, which is still full of menace to internal peace. The persistent action of the friends of justice was bringing the case to the front again, when suddenly Dreyfus' counsel, M. Michel Jaffard, has fallen seriously ill. As he alone is fully in touch with the details of the complicated case, still further delay is inevitable. It is remarked that, of the first prominent friends of Dreyfus, Bernard Lazare, Scheurer, Kestner, Zola, Grimaud and Trarieux are dead.

The quickest way to buy or sell anything at the best profit is through an advertisement in the popular want directory of the Sunday Post-Dispatch. It goes into practically every home in the city, and hence reaches all classes. Every druggist is a Post-Dispatch want ad agent.

## LOCAL TRADING AT A STANDSTILL

### Wall Street Causes Local Buyers to Fight Shy of All Securities.

### PRICES GENERALLY STEADY

### Tractions, Bank and Miscellaneous Issues Show Little Change on the Call.

Trading was reduced to a minimum at the session of the local Stock Exchange today, the fear of a further decline on Wall street causing local speculators and investors to fight shy of all securities. Only five issues were brought into the active list and in these the sales were small.

United Railways common dropped ¼ of a point on the early sale of an odd lot at $30, but later recovered to $30.62½. United Railways preferred was easy at $80 and United Railways 4s unchanged at $89.

State National Bank at $184 and Mechanics' National Bank at $294.50 and $295 were the only other sales made.

FULL SESSION—CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| United Railways preferred | $ 80 00 | $ 80 25 |
| do common | 30 25 | 30 62½ |
| do 4s | 88 75 | 89 00 |
| Washington National Bank | 225 00 | 247 75 |
| Mechanics' Bank | 294 00 | 295 00 |
| Merchants' Laclede Bank | 317 50 | 325 00 |
| National Bank of Commerce | | 332 00 |
| South Side Bank | 190 00 | |
| State National Bank | 182 00 | 185 00 |
| Missouri Lincoln Trust | 143 50 | 145 00 |
| Commonwealth Trust | 330 00 | 331 00 |
| Mississippi Valley Trust | | 390 50 |
| Tennent Shoe preferred | 101 00 | 110 00 |
| American Central Insurance | | 270 00 |
| Laclede Gas 5s | | 109 00 |
| Broadway 5s | | 103 00 |
| Alton Granite 5s | 97 00 | 97 50 |
| City 3.65s | 100 50 | |
| Brewing Association 6s | 99 75 | 100 25 |
| Standard Adding Machine | 125 00 | |

SALES.

United Railways, 8 at $30.
United Railways preferred, 5 at $80.
United Railways 4s, $4000 at $89.
State National Bank, 25 at $184.
Mechanics' National Bank, 10 at $294.50 and 5 at $295.

## NUTMEG MELONS ARE HERE FROM TEXAS

Canteloupes, that most popular breakfast fruit, has appeared on the local market from the San Antonio, Tex., district. The first arrivals reached the F. W. Brockman Commission Co. Thursday and they were surprisingly good for early arrivals.

The fruit was well ripened and had a good outdoor flavor. Regular shipments are promised, but it will be some little time before the offerings will be such that prices can be quoted.

Home-grown strawberries are coming in stronger each day and are making the market values to a large extent. They are better in color and size. The promise from that usually liberal shipping field, Southern Illinois, is not great this year and the 12-quart trays seem destined to be the heavy feature of the market soon. The Arkansas and Tennessee berries are still coming.

### Local Clearings.

| | Clearings. | Balances. |
|---|---|---|
| Today | $10,491,376 | $847,425 |
| Last week | 10,085,928 | 720,410 |
| Increase | $405,348 | $127,015 |

### Domestic Exchange.

Reported to the Post-Dispatch by A. G. Edwards & Sons, St. Louis.

| | Bid. | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| New York | 40c premium | 50c premium |
| Chicago | 30c premium | 40c premium |
| Cincinnati | Par | 10c premium |
| Louisville | 15c discount | Par |
| New Orleans | Par | 10c premium |

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## GAS WELL SPOUTS OIL.

### Present Largest Gusher in America Produces 3000 Barrels Daily.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BUTLER, Pa., May 17.—An abandoned 100-foot gas well, drilled to the fourth sand, is spouting oil at the rate of 3000 barrels a day. It is located within three miles of the Courthouse and it is now the largest oil well in America.

The well is west of Butler on a tract of land owned by Dr. O. K. Waldon, and purchased by him from the Elmer heirs several years ago. The owners of the "gusher" are Isaac McBride, familiarly known among oil men as "Spotty" McBride; Peter F. McCool, recently of Pittsburg; William Hinchberger of Butler and Michael Finnegan of Pittsburg.


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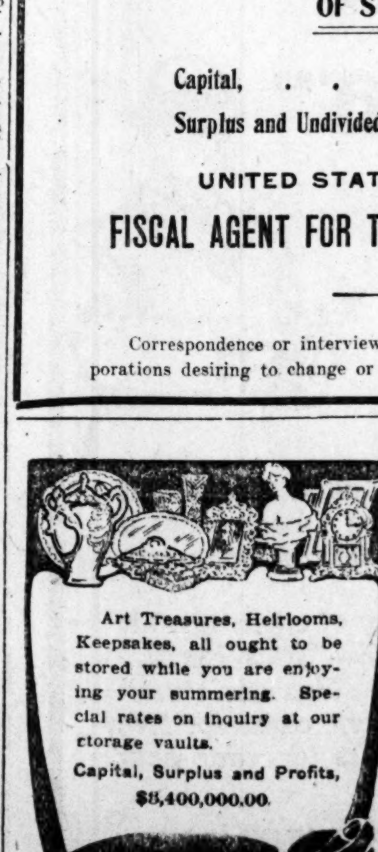


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## RAFFLES

The second daring adventure of "Raffles, the Amateur Cracksman," and his partner, "Bunny," will be printed in the NEXT SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH.


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## American Smelters Securities Company

### FIVE PER CENT CUMULATIVE PREFERRED STOCK, SERIES B.

### UNCONDITIONALLY GUARANTEED BY THE AMERICAN SMELTING AND REFINING COMPANY (AS SET FORTH BELOW).

**DIVIDENDS PAYABLE QUARTERLY ON THE FIRST DAYS OF MARCH, JUNE, SEPTEMBER AND DECEMBER.**

**Shares of the par value of $100 each.**

**The issue is subject to redemption or purchase (in whole or in part), at par and accrued dividends, on June 1, 1930, or on any quarterly dividend date thereafter upon two months' notice.**

E. W. Nash, Esq., President, and Daniel Guggenheim, Esq., Chairman of the Executive Committee of the American Smelting and Refining Company, write us, under date of May 11, 1905, in part, as follows

The American Smelters Securities Company (formerly the American Smelters Exploration Company) is already the owner of important ore producing properties, or the securities thereof, and is about to acquire a number of well established productive smelting properties, or the securities thereof, and to construct additional smelting plants for the extension of its business, especially on the Pacific Coast.

The American Smelting and Refining Company is the owner of a controlling interest in the Common Stock of the American Smelters Securities Company, in which the voting power is lodged exclusively for the first two years and thereafter, unless dividends on the Preferred Stock for one year shall be in default. The amended certificate of incorporation of the American Smelters Securities Company provides that neither class of preferred stock shall be increased without the affirmative vote of the holders of at least two-thirds in amount of every class of stock. The stock of the American Smelters Securities Company consists of

Common Stock .......... $30,000,000
and Preferred Stock .......... 47,000,000
Divided into:
Six Per Cent Cumulative Preferred Stock, Series A, **unguaranteed** ...... $17,000,000
Five Per Cent Cumulative Preferred Stock, Series B, **guaranteed** ........ 30,000,000
Total .......... $77,000,000

So far as the Securities Company is concerned, the Series A Stock has a preference as to dividends; the Series B Stock ranks equally with the Series A Stock as to assets, both classes of Preferred Stock having equal priority over the Common Stock in this regard.

All or any part of the stock (Series B) outstanding may be redeemed at par and accrued dividends by the American Smelters Securities Company, or may be purchased at par and accrued dividends by the American Smelting and Refining Company, on June 1, 1930, or upon any quarterly dividend date thereafter upon two months' previous notice.

**Every certificate of stock will bear the following endorsement of guarantee by the American Smelting and Refining Company:**

**"FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the American Smelting and Refining Company hereby agrees with the present and every future holder of the shares of Preferred Stock, Series B, of the American Smelters Securities Company represented by the within certificate, and his personal representatives and assigns, that quarterly dividends at the rate of five per cent per annum upon the stock represented by said cetificate will be promptly paid irrespective of whether such dividends shall be earned and declared by the American Smelters Securities Company and that in case of the liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the American Smelters Securities Company, whether voluntary or involuntary, the holder of this certificate will realize upon the shares represented thereby the par value thereof, together with interest at the rate of five per cent per annum for any period for which dividends at said rate shall not have been paid either by said Securities Company or under this guaranty (which interest shall be in lieu of omitted dividends).**

**"The American Smelting and Refining Company further agrees that it will in all respects perform the agreement, dated May 11, 1905, entered into between it and the American Smelters Securities Company for the benefit of the holders of said Preferred Stock, Series B."**

**The American Smelting and Refining Company has also entered into an agreement which provides, among other things, that, so long as any of the Preferred Stock, Series B, of the Securities Company shall be outstanding, the American Smelting and Refining Company shall not issue any bonds or make any further guaranty in respect of any capital stock or obligations, which, including the guaranty of said preferred stock, shall create a liability, actual or contingent, for interest or dividends or other like charges, which shall in any year exceed in the aggregate twenty-five per cent of its net earnings for the twelve months next preceding the creation of such bonds or guaranty.**

Except the interest on $561,000 bonds of an old issue, which will soon be retired, the American Smelting and Refining Company has no charge ahead of its Capital Stock other than that arising on the guaranty of the said $30,000,000 of Preferred Stock, Series B, of the American Smelters Securities Company.

***Thus this guarantee is practically the only fixed charge of the American Smelting and Refining Company, whose capital stock consists of $50,000,000 Common and $50,000,000 7 per cent cumulative Preferred Stock (together having a present market value of about $117,000,000).***

**AGAINST THE ANNUAL $1,500,000 GUARANTEED DIVIDEND UPON THE $30,000,000 PREFERRED B STOCK, THE NET EARNINGS OF THE AMERICAN SMELTING AND REFINING COMPANY FOR THE PRESENT FISCAL YEAR ENDING MAY 31, 1905, WILL AMOUNT TO ABOUT $8,500,000. IN ADDITION THE NET EARNINGS OF THE AMERICAN SMELTERS SECURITIES COMPANY WILL, IT IS ESTIMATED, ON THE COMPLETION OF THE VARIOUS WORKS IN PROCESS OF CONSTRUCTION AND IN CONTEMPLATION, AMOUNT TO ABOUT $5,500,000."**

For further information as to this issue of stock reference is made to the letter, above mentioned, of the President and Chairman of the Executive Committee of the American Smelting and Refining Company.

**THE UNDERSIGNED WILL RECEIVE SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR THE ABOVE STOCK AT 98 PER CENT.**

**The subscriptions will be opened at the office of the undersigned at 10 o'clock A. M., on Thursday, May 25, 1905, and will be closed at 3 o'clock P. M., or earlier, on the same day, the right being reserved to reject any applications and to award a smaller amount than applied for. Allotments made upon subscriptions are to be paid for on June 1, 1905, against delivery of temporary certificates or receipts, exchangeable for engraved stock certificates when issued.**

**The proceedings for the creation of this issue of Preferred Stock were taken under the supervision of Messrs. Guggenheim, Untermyer and Marshall. The legality of the issue of the stock and of the guaranty by the American Smelting and Refining Company has also been approved by Messrs. Guthrie, Cravath and Henderson, *who further advise us that the stock is not subject to taxation under the laws of the State of New York.***

Application will be made to list this stock on the New York Stock Exchange.

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# 200 M'PHERSONS TO HOLD REUNION

## Mother, Children, Grandchildren and Great-Grandchildren Will All Meet Near Kansas City.

### SEPARATED BY CIVIL WAR

### Family Was Among Pioneers of Western Missouri, Settling There Seventy Years Ago.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 19.—A family reunion in which mother, children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren will participate will be held soon at New Santa Fe, a small town sixteen miles south of Kansas City. It is the family of the McPhersons and about 200 will probably be in attendance. The principal Kansas City representative is Edward McPherson, a coal and wood dealer. The mother is Mrs. Angeline McPherson, who lives with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Bartlett, on a farm near New Santa Fe, close to the old family homestead where the children were raised.

There are five children of the McPhersons living. The oldest is Nicholas McPherson of Martin City, Mo. He has three children and six grandchildren, who will be here for the reunion. He is 70 years old. The next in line is Albert McPherson, 63 years old, who lives at Martin City and has seven children, all of whom are married. He has seventeen grandchildren. The third of the brothers is Alex McPherson, whose home is in Fort Worth, Tex. He has five children, all married, and they will bring a full quota of children. Mrs. Robert Bartlett, the only daughter, with whom the mother lives near Santa Fe, has two married children and four grandchildren. Edward McPherson, whose home is here, is the youngest of the children. He is 55 years old and has five children.

#### The Family Is Scattered Now.

Relatives will come from Colorado on the west, New York on the east, from Tennessee, Nebraska and other places. In addition to these direct kin there are cousins and cousins' children who will swell the attendance at the reunion to 200.

The McPhersons represent one of the pioneer families in this part of the state. It was in 1835 that Edward McPherson, soon after marriage, brought his wife to New Santa Fe. The town had about 2500 inhabitants, but was almost wholly wiped out during the war. During the conflict of 1861-1865 battles were fought directly in front of the farmhouse and in many cases one part of the family was fighting with the Federal forces pitted against kin folk in the Southern army.

Edward McPherson, in speaking of this, said:

"I was a boy during the Civil War, but I remember distinctly of engagements that were fought near us and to which I was spectator. In one case I had two cousins, each a captain with opposing armies, stand up in front of our house and shoot at each other. Capt. Frank Hall, who came from near St. Joseph, was the Union officer, and Capt. Will Young was with the Southern forces.

#### The Civil War Divided Them.

"My father was a member of the home guards. I recall the famous order No. 11, in which all persons were ordered to live within one mile of a town or else forsake the community. That was to prevent Quantrell's raiders from securing provisions. We lived within a mile of Santa Fe, however, so did not have to move. Another time a cousin of mine, Capt. "Ki" Muir, ordered the capture and arrest of a company of guards of which his father and mine were members, so they would not have to take part in the conflict. They were made prisoners and later when the rebel forces departed they were released. That was the method my cousin took to save the old men from harm.

"We will probably have the reunion a week from Sunday. My mother is now 92 years old. She has been looking forward to the event for a long time. She has been in feeble health, the result of a paralytic stroke, but has practically recovered. Notwithstanding her advanced age, my mother can read the finest print, and without glasses, too."

# HE WOULD BUILD A NEW ORGANIZATION

## Cousin of Pennsylvania's Governor Says Only Way to Meet Political Force Is With Force.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 19.—"I have done nothing today but before the week is out I shall have formed a plan for a mass meeting of good citizens at Harrisburg."

This statement was made by Charles H. Pennypacker, burgess of Westchester and cousin of the Governor of Pennsylvania. He stirred up the yearly meeting of Friends last night by declaring that the only way to overcome the corrupt organization in Pennsylvania was to call on all good people to make a pilgrimage to the capital on July 4 and to proclaim there a new political declaration of independence.

"What would your cousin, the Governor, think of such a movement?" the burgess was asked.

"I do not care what he thinks about it," he replied, with decision. The burgess is a big man, with a big voice, long chin whiskers, gold-rimmed spectacles of an old-fashioned type, and an extremely old vintage of beaver hat which he usually wears a little to one side.

"The only way to overcome power is to use power," he continued. "What does the Republican machine in this State care for pronunciamentos? Nothing. This talk about going to the polls and doing your duty at every election is all very well, so far as it goes, but it doesn't go far enough. We forget that the present organization has the machinery for counting out or counting in, as it pleases. The machine is absolutely unscrupulous, and cares nothing for principles, but it is bound to respect force.

"Now my idea of that meeting at Harrisburg is not burn down the Capitol or wave red flags, or anything like that, but merely to hold a huge meeting on Independence Day to furnish the steam, so to speak, for a new organization to fight the old one. You would see those political hucksters and corruptionists tremble in their boots if the righteous people of Pennsylvania ever started on their track with that kind of a plan in view. It would be such a demonstration against wrong as seldom has been seen before and has never been seen without producing practical results. I don't know yet exactly what will be done, or how I will do it, but you may say this thing will take shape before the end of the week.'

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# ODD FELLOWS' SESSION OVER

## Rebekah Assembly Elects Officers and Awards Medals.

Delegates are returning to their homes Friday after attending a three-days' session of the grand lodge of the Missouri order of Odd Fellows, which adjourned Thursday to meet at Kirksville, Mo., on the third Tuesday in May next year. The Rebekah Assembly also finished its session and will meet at the same place.

The Rebekah Assembly's newly elected officers are:

President, Mrs. Ruby Kathan of Bucklin; vice-president, Mrs. Mollie Smith of Webb City; warden, Mrs. Francis Ring of Monett; secretary, Mrs. Allie E. Poundstone of Carterville; treasurer, Mrs. Caroline Winter of Warrensburg; marshal, Miss Carrie Moore of Osbone; conductor, Mrs. Mary Van Buren of Jamesport; inside guardian, Mrs. Mattie E. White of Clinton; outside guardian, Miss May Braden of Carthage; chaplain, Mrs. Charles Mulford of St. Louis.

Two gold medals for securing the largest number of new members during the year were awarded, the first prize to Mrs. Orcott of Kansas City and the second to Mrs. Hulbert of Martha Washington Lodge, St. Louis.

# MISS MARTHA JOHNS DEAD

## Funeral Will Take Place in St. Charles, Saturday.

Miss Martha Johns, a sister of Geo. S. Johns, editor of the Post-Dispatch, died at the Evangelical Deaconess' Hospital Thursday night at 7:15 o'clock. Miss Johns was a daughter of the late John J. Johns of St. Charles, Mo. She had been ill since January. She went South for her health, but the change failed to benefit her. The funeral will take place from the First Presbyterian Church at St. Charles, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Miss Johns was very active in the work of the charitable and church societies of which she was a member. Her home was with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Johns of St. Charles. Her mother, four brothers and a sister survive her.

$1 off on Manhattan Special $3.50 Oxfords for men, Saturday Special at Boehmer's.

### Granite City Church Picnic.

The members of Park Avenue M. E. Church Epworth League in Granite City will give an excursion Saturday to Clifton Terrace, leaving Granite City at 8:15 a. m. The military band of Granite City will give a concert during the day, and several baseball games have been arranged.

# SLAPPED QUEEN OF THE CAVE

## Ticket-Taker at Dance Hall Is Fined $10.

Judge Kielber of the Wyoming Street Police Court fined James Gill $10 and costs Friday morning. The breach of conduct was not toward the judge but toward the "Queen of Klausman's Cave," Miss Augusta Wideman, 7613 Alabama avenue.

It was alleged that Gill slapped Miss Wideman.

Gill is a ticket taker at the dance hall, known as "Klausman's Cave," over which Miss Augusta has presided as queen since that title was bestofed on her by admirers. It was charged by the plaintiff and testified by herself and her friends that on the night of May 6 she denied Gill's request for a dance and that he slapped her.

In extenuation of the slap, Gill said that the queen had said things about him which she should not have said.

### Similar Instance.

Mumm: Cheer up, old man, and don't be so melancholy. You remind me of Jonah.

Glumm: Remind you of Jonah?

Mumm: That's what I said. He was down in the mouth, you know.—Detroit Tribune.


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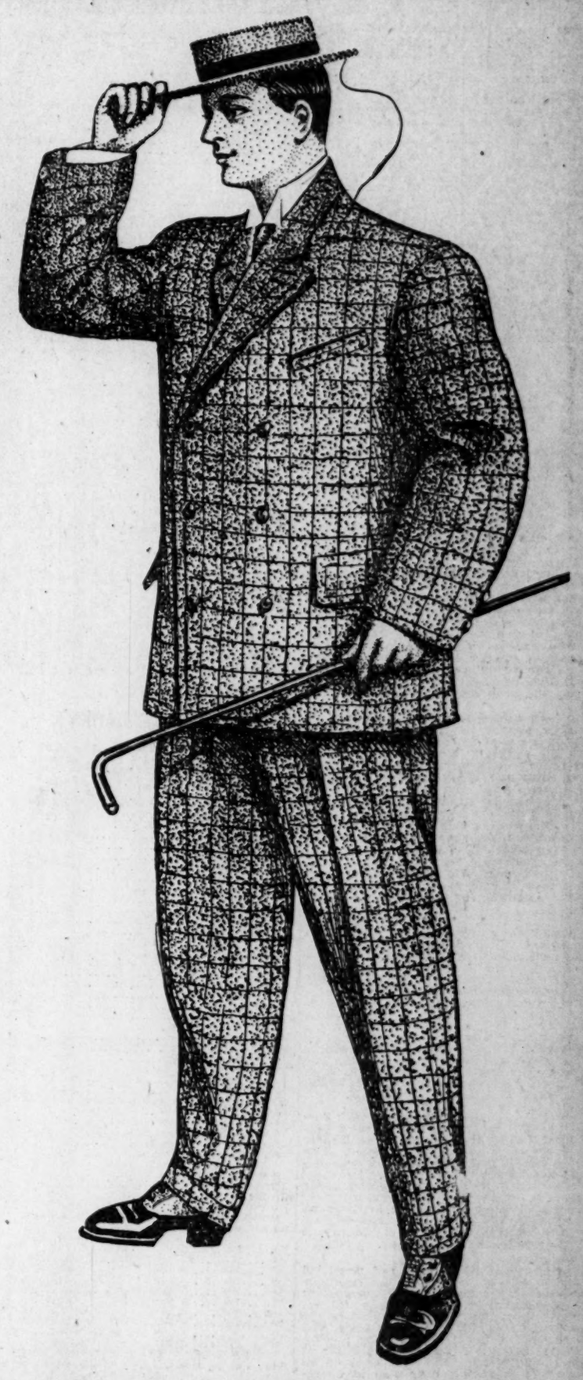

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